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WILSON'S ELECTION CLAIMED AT EARLY HOUR THIS MORNING BY CHAIRMAN OF DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE

Only Meagre Returns Received From Western States, and Democratic Managers at Midnight Insisted That Complete Reports Would Reverse the Trend Toward Republican Victory in Northern and New England States.

REPUBLICAN NATIONAL COMMITTEE SHORTLY AFTER MIDNIGHT CLAIMED TOTAL OF 284 ELECTORAL VOTES

Chairman McCormick Claims Election of President Wilson, With 270 Votes in Electoral College—"Remember 1892," is Prediction of Democratic Publicity Bureau—Definite Result May Not be Known Before Today.

New York, November 8. — At an early hour this morning Democratic Chairman McCormick was claiming at least 268 votes for President Wilson in the electoral college, and Republican Chairman Willcox claimed 301. Each claimed the doubtful states, Kentucky, Kansas, Montana, Nebraska and Washington, which on the face of early returns were leaning toward President Wilson. Maryland seemed almost certainly Democratic.

"Remember 1892," was the prediction of the Democratic publicity bureau, which pointed out that in that memorable contest the next day's revised returns placed Grover Cleveland in the White House.

McCormick Is Optimistic

Missouri, Indiana, West Virginia, Arizona and Delaware were leading toward Hughes. Chairman McCormick, however, claimed the President could have a majority of two votes in the electoral college without carrying California, Indiana, North and South Dakota, West Virginia or Wisconsin, from which returns were far from complete but showing a Republican trend. The early morning returns came in slowly. Managers of both parties were anxiously watching Ohio and both claiming victory. As hours dragged on it became more and more evident that it would be a close election and there appeared possibilities that in some places it might be necessary to resort to official counts to determine the results.

Republicans Claim Victory

Soon after midnight the Republican National Committee, in an official statement claimed California, Connecticut, Delaware, Idaho, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Maine, Maryland Massachusetts, Michigan, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, North Dakota, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Dakota, Vermont, Washington, West Virginia and Wisconsin. That made a total of 284 electoral votes, 18 more than the necessary 266 for an election.

This was the first official indication from the Republicans that the result would be so close.

The Republican managers realized that a sudden switch in the states incomplete or unheard from might increase the Wilson figures, but were sure the later figures would add to the states they were claiming.

McCormick Claims Wilson's Election

Vance McCormick, chairman of the Democratic National Committee, at midnight claimed the election of President Wilson with 270 votes in the electoral college.

"Our report received up to midnight," said Chairman McCormick, "showed that the President had received certainly 270 electoral votes, not including Massachusetts and Connecticut or California and other far Western states yet to be heard from.

Republicans' Claim "Unfounded."

When shown the list of states claimed by the Republican National Committee, Robert W. Woolley, director of publicity of the Democratic National Committee, said the Republicans' claim was without foundation. Mr. Woolley said that of the states named, Connecticut, Idaho, Delaware, Iowa, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, North Dakota, Oregon, South Dakota, Washington, West Virginia and Wisconsin, were probably for President Wilson. Of these states, Mr. Woolley declared, Delaware, West Virginia, Maryland and Wisconsin were certainly for Wilson and in all other states reports showed Wilson was leading.

States Claimed Democratic.

Mr. Woolley claimed the following states, giving a total of 313 electoral votes: Alabama, Arizona, Arkansas, California, Colorado, Delaware, Florida, Georgia, Indiana, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Mexico, North Carolina, South Carolina, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, Oregon, Tennessee, Texas, Utah, Virginia, West Virginia and Wisconsin.

DELAWARE IS CLOSE, WITH DEMOCRATS CLAIMING VICTORY

Wilmington, Del., Nov 8.—Returns at 1:45 A. M. make Delaware very close on both the national and state tickets, with the Democrats claiming victory.

New Castle county, in which Wilmington is located, out of 117 districts, 100 gave Hughes 10,109; Wilson 8,850; for Senator Dupont, Republican, 9,385; Wolcott, Democrat, 8,970.

Kent county is claimed by the Democrats by more than 1,000 and Sussex, the other county, is close, with the Democrats claiming it.

DEMOCRATS GET KENTUCKY BY PROBABLY 20,000 MAJORITY.

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 8.—Practically complete figures from 10 of the 11 Congressional districts in Kentucky give Wilson 181,709; Hughes 138,344.

Only fragmentary returns were available at midnight from the 11th congressional district, which is largely made up of mountain country. Democratic and Republican leaders estimated that it will return a Republican majority of between 18,000 and 23,000.

Apparently, if the larger figure for the 11th district is conceded President Wilson's majority in the state will range 20,000. A majority in the state of between 12,000 and 25,000 is conceded to him by Republican leaders.

In the first nine congressional districts of the state, the present Democratic members of Congress were re-elected on the fac of unofficial returns. Congressman Langley was re-elected in the 10th and Caleb Powers was re-elected in the 11th.

WILSON LEADING HUGHES BY 10,000 VOTES IN OHIO

Cincinnati, Nov. 8. — Wilson had a lead of almost 10,000 votes over Hughes at one o'clock this morning, 2,289 precincts out of the state's 5,570 giving Wilson 200,681 votes and Hughes 190,922.

At 1 o'clock Senator Pomorene, Democratic candidate for the senate, and former Governor James N. Cox had a slight lead.

Republicans were returned to Congress from five districts, the first, seventh, tenth, sixteenth and twenty-second. The re-election of seven Democrats was assured at that hour.

In the second district there was a close contest between Stanley Bowdle, Democratic member of the 63rd congress, and Victor Heitz, but the latter was elected. He will succeed Alfred Allen, a Democrat.

HUGHES' MAJORITY IN NEW YORK STATE ABOUT 100,000

New York, Nov. 8.—Charles E. Hughes carried New York state by approximately 100,000, the returns showed at 2 o'clock this morning, with only 326 districts missing out of a total of 5,807. His vote was 832,095 against 728,995 for Wilson.

Governor Whitman led the Republican National ticket and his majority over Samual Seabury with 851 districts lacking, was 124,711.

William M. Calder apparently had defeated William F. McCombs, Democratic candidate for Senator, in New York city as well as upstate. Calder's lead, with 1,833 districts missing, was 151,657.

Returns were not complete from the 12th congressional district but in 13 of the 15 election districts Leon Sanders, Democrat, led Meyer London, socialist, by 49 votes.

HUGHES REMAINS UP UNTIL 1:15; DECLINES TO COMMENT

New York, Nov. 8. — Charles E. Hughes sat up with his family until 1:15 A. M., but then went to bed. He closed up his personal headquarters, silenced the telegraph instruments over which bulletins had come, and left instruction that he was not to be disturbed no matter what news belated dispatches contained. Mr. Hughes declined to make comments on the reports received up to bedtime.

At 9 o'clock Mrs. Hughes congratulated her husband on his election. She told him then that he had been elected. Mr. Hughes' daughters also congratulated him.

Mr. Hughes gave out no statement. A crowd of thousands with brass bands gathered in the hotel, where Mr. Hughes was staying, and at 11 o'clock sent up a committee to request the nominee to appear before them. Mr. Hughes sent back word that he appreciated the request, but did not wish to appear until the result was demonstrated beyond doubt. The crowd went away.

DEMOCRATS SAY MARYLAND IS FOR WILSON BY 6,000

Baltimore, Md., Nov. 7.—With more than two-thirds of Baltimore city's vote counted and scattered returns from the counties, the Democrats at midnight claimed the state for President Wilson by 6,000 plurality.

Prohibition was defeated in Baltimore City by an estimated majority in excess of 40,000. Returns from half the precincts in Alleghany county, in which Cumberland is situated, indicated the defeat of prohibition. A small

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OVER 30 PERSONS PLUNGED TO DEATH

Car on the Boston Elevated Street Railway Goes Through an Open Draw-Bridge.

THIRTY BODIES RECOVERED

Motorman and Conductor Jumped From the Car—Both Are Arrested on Technical Charges of Manslaughter.

Boston, Mass., Nov. 7.—Nearly 50 people lost their lives when a Boston elevated trolley car plunged through an open draw at the Summer street bridge tonight.

The car is believed to have carried 60 people, of whom probably not more than 10 escaped by jumping. The remainder, imprisoned in the closed car, went to their death at the bottom of Fort Point channel.

Boston, Mass., Nov. 8.—The cause of the accident had not been determined at a late hour. The motorman, Gerald Walsh, who with the conductor, George McKeon, saved himself by jumping, asserted that the bridge was not properly lighted and that he saw no warning signals. The bridge tenders in charge said the red signal lights on the gate were showing.

Forty-four bodies have been recovered by divers and by the police with grappling irons.

Although early reports said the passengers included a number of women and children, all the bodies recovered were those of men. Mayor Curley ordered an investigation.

Boston, Mass., Nov. 7.—The lives of from 36 to 49 persons were lost tonight when a crowded car of the Boston Elevated Street Railway plunged through an open draw bridge into Fort Point channel.

Twelve other persons were rescued. One man, Thomas J. Gannon, died after being brought to shore. Two bodies were found, but the recovery of other bodies was delayed as, it was believed, they were pinned in the car which rested on the bottom of the 35-foot channel.

Gerald Walsh, motorman of the car, who jumped before it went over the edge of the draw, asserted that the accident was due to the fact that there was no light on the bridge gates. He and George McKeon, the conductor, who also leaped, were arrested on technical charges of manslaughter. The conductor was insensible and the police could not learn the exact number of passengers.

Some of the rescued estimated that the passengers numbered upward of 50.

The assistant draw tender, Timothy J. Shea, who was in charge of the bridge, disputed the statement of the motorman that there was no light at the draw. Shea said the usual red signal lights were on the gate. He was not sure, he said, whether the arc lamp on the bridge was lighted.

Shortly before midnight 30 bodies had been removed from the car and divers reported that there were others that had not been brought to the surface.

SERIAL PLAN SUGGESTED FOR FINANCING ROAD IMPROVEMENT

Question Thoroughly Investigated By Federal Experts

Washington, Nov. 7.—Financing of highway improvements has been thoroughly investigated by experts of the Department of Agriculture's division of road economics who recommend to people of counties and municipalities intending to raise funds the advantage of the deferred serial plan over the ordinary sinking fund plan. Under the serial plan, a certain amount of bonds is retired each year and the bonds so retired cease to be an interest charge on until the end of a definite period, and the entire sum raised bears interest for the entire life of the bond.

The Department's experts say under the ordinary sinking-fund plan communities pay interest on the money borrowed and in addition set aside each year as a sinking fund an amount sufficient to retire all the bonds when they become due. The sinking fund is deposited with banks and earns some interest. That interest ordinarily is only three per cent, whereas the communities pay five or six per cent to its bondholders. The serial plan is much cheaper, even though the sinking fund earns interest as high as four per cent, and in the opinion of the road specialists should be utilized whenever it is possible to market serial bonds.

A report on the subject has just been published by the Department of Agriculture which is distributing it to interested persons upon application.

London, Nov. 7.—The British front in the Les Boufs area was severely shelled and the German support and communication trenches in the neighborhood of Armentiers and Wytschaerte were bombarded, according to the official statement from British headquarters in France, issued today. Rain prevailed all day.

SOLID SOUTH HAS NOT BEEN BROKEN

Eleven States Give President Wilson Usual Substantial Democratic Majorities.

NORMAL VOTE WAS CAST

North Carolina Sends Solid Delegation to Next Congress—Independent May Have Been Elected Governor of Florida

Atlanta, Nov. 7.—President Wilson was given the usual substantial Democratic majorities in today's elections in the Southern States of Virginia, North Carolina and South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, Tennessee, Arkansas and Texas. Returns were slow in coming in, but those received as to mid-night were sufficient to indicate that a normal vote was cast.

The Democrats gained at least one seat in congress in the defeat of James J. Britt, Republican, for re-election from the tenth North Carolina district, by Zebulon Weaver, Democrat. The North Carolina delegation thus becomes once more wholly Democratic.

Early returns from Virginia indicated that the Democrats had retained the nine seats already and were running Congressmen C. B. Slemp a close race in the ninth district, which is normally Republican. The result in the two close districts in Tennessee and the one in Louisiana, which now has a Progressive congressman, was still in doubt. Jesse M. Littleton, Republican, was said to be leading Congressman John A. Moon in the third Tennessee district.

In the Florida gubernatorial race, scattering returns gave W. V. Knott, the Democratic nominee, a slight lead over Sydney J. Catts, the independent prohibition candidate.

A majority against the repeal of statewide prohibition was indicated in early returns from Pulaski county, Arkansas, which includes Little Rock.

The Democratic candidates for governor were elected in Arkansas, Georgia, North and South Carolina, Tennessee and Texas. Democratic Senators were elected from Arkansas, Florida, Mississippi, Tennessee, Texas and Virginia.

Arkansas Solidly Democratic.

Little Rock, Ark., Nov. 7. — Early returns indicate customary overwhelming majorities for Wilson and all Democratic nominees in Arkansas. Scattering returns showed a majority against the repeal of statewide prohibition.

GERMANY IS EXPECTED TO PAY FOR THE LANAO

Expected to Follow Precedent Set in Case of Steamer Frye.

Appears Certain, From Facts Gathered By the State Department, That the Vessel was Given Due Warning.

Washington, Nov. 7.—Precedents, established in the case of the American ship Frye, wheat-laden and bound for England, sunk in mid-Atlantic by a German auxiliary cruiser, Prinz Eitel Friederich, in 1915, are expected to lead the German government voluntarily to offer to pay for the steamer Lanao, sunk by a German submarine off the coast of Portugal, October 28, if it is established that the vessel was sailing legally under the American flag and registry.

The State Department is making every effort to develop the facts, and it appears certain that due warning was given and proper care taken to safeguard the lives of all on board. The question to be cleared up is whether the Lanao was an American ship. It is known that negotiations for her sale by the American owners to a Norwegian ship owner had been initiated before the vessel started on the voyage, but it is not clear whether these had been concluded at the time of the attack.

CAPTAIN SAYS THE LANAO WAS UNDER U. S. REGISTRY

London, Nov. 7.—Captain Mainland, master of the Lanao, has telegraphed from Cardiff the following signed statement:

"The Lanao sailed from Hong Kong under the American flag, which flew day and night and was flying when sunk. I heard rumors of sale, but nothing certain. The submarine captain gave a receipt for the ship's papers as from an American ship.

"The legal status of the vessel was Philippine registry under American protection, which gave the right to fly the American flag."

HOUSE REMAINS IN DEMOCRATIC HANDS SO LEADERS CLAIM

They Also Claim Senate, But Republicans Refuse to Concede Either Branch of Congress.

LATTER HAVE MADE GAINS

Seats in Many Republican and Some Democratic Districts Remain in Doubt This Morning.

New York, Nov. 7.—Democratic party leaders insisted at a late hour that control of the House had not been lost and that the Senate certainly would remain Democratic. Republican leaders, however, were claiming the House and still were hopeful of victory in the Senate. In the House the Republicans gained one in the Sixth Maryland district and another in the 11th New York. This brought the Republican gain to three, which would reduce the House majority to 18, but there were more than 200 congressional districts to be heard from.

Late returns indicated that the Democrats would lose three members in Indiana. The result was in doubt in Ohio, West Virginia, Maryland and Nevada, seats held by Democrats. Republicans in Utah, Delaware, Minnesota, New Mexico, Washington and Wyoming were still doubtful of victory.

The Democrats were claiming success for Hitchcock in Nebraska, Myrders, Montana, and Ashurst, Arizona, although returns were incomplete.

CONGRESSMAN STEDMAN IS RETURNED BY BIG MAJORITY.

Greensboro, N. C., Nov. 7.—Congressman Charles M. Stedman was re-elects to Congress from the Fifth North Carolina district.

The Republicans at headquarters here concede that Gilliam Grissom, Republican, has been defeated but claim they have made gains. Stedman's majority is not yet obtainable. He carried Guilford, Durham, Alamance, Granville, Forsyth and Rockingham, the majorities totaling 3,500. Four counties are to be heard from.

MANN RETURNED TO THE HOUSE BY BIG MAJORITY.

Chicago, Nov. 7.—James R. Mann, minority leader of the House of Representatives, at Washington, on whom a vigorous fight was made by the drys of the Second Illinois congressional district, was elected on returns from 200 out of 320 precincts by an indicated plurality of 10,000.

FIGHT AGAINST RED BUGS

U. S. Department of Agriculture Issues Publications on The Subject

Washington, Nov. 7.—"Crimson Ramblers", "Chintzes" and "Mahogany Flats" or, as they are more commonly known, bedbugs, are the subject of one of the latest Government publications which the Department of Agriculture is distributing to all applicants. Government scientists have made a study of this pest and have made a report on its origin, life history, habits and methods for their eradication.

AUSTRIAN ATTACKS ON THE ITALIANS WITHOUT RESULTS

Rome, Nov. 7. (Via London) — A surprise attack on Italian positions on the Adige valley, between Loppio and Mori, undertaken by the Austrians on Sunday night, the war office announced today, was unsuccessful.

In the Travinolo valley the Austrians continued without success to attack Italian positions. No changes of importance are recorded in the region between Gorizia and the Adriatic, where the Italian offensive movement has been under way.

AUSTRIANS SUFFER REVERSES ON THE TRANSYLVANIAN FRONT

Vienna, via London, Nov. 7.—After several days' stubborn fighting near Tulghes, Transylvanian front, says the communication from general headquarters today, the Russians pressed back the Austrian front some kilometers. The Austrian troops evacuated Dedul Mountain, east of Kirilibaba, in the face of the massed fire of the Russian artillery.

St. Paul, Minn., Nov. 7.—Hundred and eighty-three precincts out of 3,024 in Minnesota, gave Wilson 22,325 and Hughes 18,243. Virtually all these returns were from Minneapolis, St. Paul and Duluth and Republican state headquarters here asserted figures from the rural districts would swing the vote to Hughes.

NATIONAL COMMITTEE CLAIMS WILSON WON.

New York, Nov. 8.—A statement issued by the Democratic National committee at 1:30 this morning claiming that with the loss of the following states, which it was not believed that Hughes had carried. President Wilson was still re-elected by a majority of two votes in the electoral college:

California, Indiana, North Dakota, South Dakota, West Virginia and Wisconsin. The committee claimed that even if these states are lost it will give President Wilson a vote of 268 in the electoral college.

STATE DEMOCRATIC MAJORITY 45,000 WARREN DECLARES

But Very Few Counties Reported Republican; Democratic Majorities in Many Increased.

AMENDMENTS ARE CARRIED?

Believed That President Wilson's Vote at Least Equalled That of State Ticket.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 7.—In gratifying contrast to the discomforting news of the National election, the returns to State Democratic headquarters grew more gratifying to the party leaders as the evening advanced. Returns of Democratic majorities received from 37 counties at midnight, footed up to a total of 34,700 majority for these counties, numbers of them being increases over former elections.

It looks like Wake will win the banner for biggest Democratic majority over 1912 offered by the State Executive committee, her majority being about 2,150 this time.

A remarkable feature is that 500 of this gain is in rural precincts that voted strongly for Taft four years ago. One of the most gratifying reports that came to Democratic headquarters was from Winston-Salem, reporting that James A. Gray, Jr., had defeated E. A. Holton, Republican, for the State Senate. Gray leading his ticket in this contest, which was made by Holton about the most bitter of any in the State.

Mr. Bickett, who is spending the night at his home in Louisburg, telephoned Democratic headquarters that he estimates his majority 45,000, however, much of the basis for his estimate were returns to Democratic headquarters given him over the telephone.

He congratulated State Chairman Warren most heartily on the signal success of his management of the State campaign. In fact, congratulations for Chairman Warren came during the evening from many quarters of the State.

Amendments Believed Carried.

While no definite returns came in as to the balloting on constitutional amendments, all reports actually received showed balloting for amendments with little voting against them, except possibly the one for emergency judges. Chairman Warren and other party leaders believe the amendments have carried, as a majority of votes cast was al that was required.

"You can say that the Democratic majority in North Carolin is 40,000 to 50,000 with a solid Democratic delegation in Congress once again," said Democratic State Chairman Thomas D. Warren at midnight.

He had just opened a telegram from Chairman Elias, of the Democratic committee in the Tenth, and read a message telling of Weaver's majority in the Tenth over Republican Congressman Britt.

COLUMBUS GIVES 900 TO 1,000 DEMOCRATIC MAJORITY

(Special Star Telegram)

Whiteville, N. C., Nov. 7.—The vote for Columbus county, with three townships still to be heard from, shows a Democratic majority of from 900 to 1,000 in the National, State and congressional tickets. The vote cast will reach approximately 2,600 and of these the Democrats received on the National, State and congressional tickets about 1,800 votes and the Republicans about 800.

The local fight for representative between Donald McRackan on the Democratic ticket and I. B. Tucker, Republican, shows a majority for McRackan of about 350 votes. For sheriff J. O. Ammons received a majority on the Democratic ticket of from 400 to 500 votes over J. H. Williamson on the Republican ticket. A. W. Baldwin was reelected for register of deeds on the Democratic ticket over Leslie Pierce with a majority of from 700 to 900 votes.

For commissioners, C. D. Harrelson, F. B. Pierce and J. C. Stanley were given a Democratic majority of from 700 to 800 votes over F. M. Stevens, J. B. Wyche and K. L. Stanley, on the Republican ticket. For coroner, S. A. Smith, on the Democratic ticket, received about 1,000 majority over L. Baggett. Isaac Duncan won on the Democratic ticket over F. L. Walker by about 700 to 900 votes.

SAMPSON AND WILKES ARE REPUBLICAN BY ABOUT 1,500

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 7.—Sampson county gives 1,400 and Wilkes 1,500 Republican majorities, the only Republican majorities reported. Democratic county returns include Alleghenay 150; Bladen 550; Caldwell 135; Carteret 40; Chowan 509; Forsyth 800; Robeson, 2,000; Union 2,000; Vance 1,100; Warren 1,100.

BRUNSWICK COUNTY SEEMS TO HAVE GONE "MIXED" AGAIN

(Long Distance Telephone)

Southport, N. C., Nov. 7.—Practically complete returns indicate that Brunswick county gave the Republican National State and judicial tickets a majority of about 100. A. L. McCaskill, Republican, has a majority of 150 over H. L. Godwin, the incumbent. John Robinson, Democratic incumbent, seems to have defeated George E. Brooks, Republican, for sheriff by a small majority. Indications are that W. H. Walker, Republican, has defeated George H. Gray, Democratic incumbent, for register of deeds. All

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DEMOCRATS CARRY 10TH DISTRICT BY MAJORITY OF 600

Zebulon Weaver Defeats Congressman Britt, Making Solid Delegation From State.

OTHERS INCREASED VOTES

Godwin Carries McCaskill's Precinct, and Probably Increases Majority in District.

North Carolina has elected a solid Democratic delegation of ten representatives in Congress, according to apparently authentic returns received up to 2 o'clock this morning, the Tenth district having been redeemed, Zebulon Weaver, the Democratic nominee, having defeated the incumbent, Congressman J. J. Britt, Republican, by approximately 300 majority.

In most of the other districts, the Democratic majorities seem to have been increased. Congressman Godwin's majority in the Sixth district appears to be anywhere from 6,000 to 7,000, probably nearer the larger figure. He carried the home precinct of his Republican opponent, A. L. McCaskill, and every county in the district except Brunswick, which may have given McCaskill a majority of 150 votes.

WEAVER'S MAJORITY SEEMS REDUCED BY LATER RETURNS

(Special Star Telegram.)

Asheville, N. C., Nov. 8.—Returns early this morning indicate a shrinkage of Weaver's majority for Congress in the Tenth district to about 300. Nobody seems to know anything about the Constitutional amendment vote and ballots were not in evidence in Buncombe at least. Some of the Buncombe county majorities were considerably reduced by later returns, but the election of the ticket still stands.

DOUGHTON RE-ELECTED BY MAJORITY OF ABOUT 1,500.

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 7.—State Democratic Chairman Thomas D. Warren declared at midnight that Congressman R. L. Doughton, of the Eighth district, is re-elected over his opponent, H. S. Williams, Republican, by a majority of about 1,500.

N. C. DEMOCRATIC CONGRESSMEN WIN BY INCREASED MAJORITIES

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 7.—That North Carolina will have a solid Democratic representation in Congress was the announcement of Democratic State Chairman Warren at 10 o'clock tonight when news came from Asheville that Weaver had defeated Britt (Republican) by 600 majority. All other Democratic congressman are safe, some with increased majorities.

Warren is confident Bickett's majority for Governor will be 45,000. Wake gave 2,000 Democratic majority; already 1,600, with 13 precincts missing.

TENTH DISTRICT DEMOCRATIC ACCORDING TO EARLY RETURNS

(Special Star Telegram.)

Asheville, N. C., Nov. 7.—With 21 out of 28 precincts heard from in Buncombe county, Zebulon Weaver, Democratic candidate for Congress in the Tenth district, has a lead of 582 votes over his Repbblcan opponent, Congressman James J. Britt.

Reports from Henderson county, the one real Britt stronghold in the district, indicate a majority of about 750 for Britt in that county. This will be offset by practically the same majority in Haywood for Weaver, according to early returns, and the rest of the district will be about evenly divided, an apparent majority of 250 in Rutherford county and other minor majorities, about balancing Britt's other counties. Based on the returns to date, Weaver is elected by about the majority he will get in this county, or about 600 to 650 votes. The entire Democratic ticket in Buncombe county is elected by majorities ranging around 1,000 each, according to present returns. No interest in the constitutional amendments was shown. The county, of course, is strongly for Bickett and Wilson and the district will give both a handsome majority.

SECOND DISTRICT MAJORITY SEEMS BIGGER THAN EVER

(Special Star Telegram)

Rocky Mount, N. C., Nov. 7.—The Second congressional district is safely Democratic, with a handsome majority, the exact extent of which may not be determined until the canvass, though it is agreed that it is in excess of all previous majorities by at least a thousand votes and it is generally believed that Halifax, Edgecombe Warren, Northampton and Vance may poll a 7,000 majority. The vote on the constitutial amendments lags much behind this, though it is believed that they will carry by a small majority.

In Nash county, in the Fourth congressional district, there has been heavy balloting and approximately 2,800 votes have been cast with a Democratic majority safely in excess of 1,500.

The amendments are in doubt in this county though Democratic leaders declare belief that they will carry by a small majority.

POU'S MAJORITY IN FOURTH DISTRICT PLACED AT 4,575.

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 7.—Returns giving Democratic majorities by counties in the Fourth congressional district show Pou's majority over Jenkins, Republican, to be 4,575. Majorities by

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PRESIDENT RETIRES AT 12:30 O'CLOCK

His Campaign Managers at Long Branch and New York Were Claiming His Election.

HE SHOWED NO IMPATIENCE

Mr. Wilson Apparently Most Cheerful Person at Shadow Lawn— Will Begin at Once Planning for Congress

Long Branch, N. J., Nov. 7.—President Wilson went to bed at 12:30 o'clock, with his campaign managers here and in New York claiming his election. He left word, however, that if really definite returns were received during the night he should be awakened.

Long Branch, N. J., Nov. 7.—In the face of returns up to 10 o'clock, indicating the election of Charles E. Hughes, President Wilson and his official family here late tonight insisted that news from Western states would be awaited before any concessions were made. The President, surrounded by members of his immediate family, received the returns in his study at Shadow Lawn.

As continued discouraging news came to the executive offices disappointment was generally expressed, but the President himself remained cheerful. No effort was made to conceal the fact that the outlook was not bright. Returns from Western states, however, were eagerly awaited.

Out in the seclusion of Shadow Lawn the President was amid quiet, but the executive offices at Asbury Park were surrounded by an excited crowd.

Apparently the President was the most cheerful person here. Those who talked with him said he showed no impatience. He began receiving returns shortly after 6 o'clock.

It was declared that the outcome of the election will make no immediate change in the President's plans. He will go ahead planning for legislation he desires at the December session of Congress. He will leave here Thursday night for Williamstown, Mass., to attend the christening of the child of his daughter, Mrs. Francis B. Sayre. He expects to return to Washington Sunday night.

As late reports came to the executive offices by telephone and telegraph and from local Democratic leaders in various states, the hopes of teh President and those about him began to rise. Stronger claims were made that on the final count, Mr. Wilson would win.

DEMOCRATS CARRY 10TH DISTRICT BY MAJORITY OF 600

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counties are: Chatham, 375; Franklin, 1,500; Johnston, 400; Nash, 1,100; Vance, 1,100; Wake, 200.

Congressman Pou telephoned from Smithfield to Democratic headquarters that these majorities seem to be dependable.

ROBINSON CARRIES SEVENTH BY OVER 4,000 MAJORITY

(By Long Distance Telephone)

Wadesboro, N. C., Nov. 7.—The Seventh district, all counties reported except Davies, gives Robinson Democrati nominee for Congress ,a majority of more than 4,000.

The State ticket in Anson will receive about 1,800 majority. The amendments lost in Anson by a heavy vote.

GODWIN CARRIES M'CASKILL'S HOME PRECINCT 230 TO 300

(Special Star Telegram)

Fayetteville, N. C., Nov. 7.—Cumberland gives Wilson a majority of 708. The same vote is given the state congressional, legislative and county tickets. For Congress, Godwin carried McCaskill's home precinct by 230 to 300. John A. Oates is elected to the State Senate from cumberland and Hoke counties by 1,431 majority. Hoke gave Oates 808, McClelland 77, Cumberland's baby precinct, Sherwood, went Democratic 51 to 0.

The vote on constitutional amendments has not been tabulated.

HOOD DEFEATS BUTLER BY CLOSE TO 4,000 MAJORITY

(Special Star Telegram)

Goldsboro, N. C., Nov. 7.—Tonight reports from all over the county indicate that Wayne county has elected her entire Democratic ticket the State and National ticket winning by a majority of 1,075. As forecasted by Congressman Geo. E. Hood several days ago, according to returns received at 9 o'clock, he has a majority over his Republican opponent, Geo. E. Butler, of close to 4,000 majority. It might be interesting to many to learn that Mr. Butler only carried his own county by a majority of 1,000.

The vote on the four constitutional amendments was a live issue in this county, in which a large majority was given amendments Nos. 1, 3 and 4.

Sheriff R. H. Edwards today fired his jailer, Mr. Anderson, when he learned the latter had voted the Republican ticket. From some quarters he has received commendation ofr the act while from others he has been severely criticised for interfering with the liberties of one of his men in regard as to how they should cast their vote.

MAJOR STEDMAN RE-ELECTED BY ABOUT 3,000 MAJORITY.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Greensboro, N. C., Nov. 7.—Maj. Chas. M. Stedman is re-elected to Congress from the Fifth District over Gilliam Grissom by about 3,000 majority. Majorities for Stedman are: Guilford 1,000; Granville, 900; Forsyth, 300; Alamance, 300; Durham, 800; Caswell, 500; Rockingham, 300; Orange, 100.

Grissom carries Surry by 800 and Stokes by 400. Person is about even. Guilford re-elects Democratic ticket by about 100.

CIVIC WORKERS MEET.

Remarkable Series of Conventions at Springfield, Mass., Nov. 21-25.

Springfield, Mass., Nov. 7.—A remarkable series of conventions in this city November 21-25, inclusive, is expected to bring together an unusual number of civic workers. A preliminary announcement now being circulated lists no less than ten conventions, as follows:

National Municipal League, November 23-25; City Managers' Association, November 21-23; City's Secretary Conference, Nov. 23-24; Municipal Research Workers, Nov. 22-23; Training School for Public Service, Nov. 22-23; Intercollegiate Division of the National Municipal League, Nov. 22-23; Western New England Chamber of Commerce, Nov. 22; Massachusetts Federation of Planning Boards, Nov. 23-24; Massachusetts Civic League, Nov. 21, and the Massachusetts Single Tax League, Nov. 20-24.

Subjects on the tentative programs include budgets, housing, taxation, municipal progress, city planning publicity, training for public service, progress of the city's manager plan, results under commission government, ten years' of municipal research in America and the responsibility of the city to its needy.

SLEEP ON STAR STEPS.

Faithful Followers of Wilson Refuse to Leave While Result Was in Doubt.

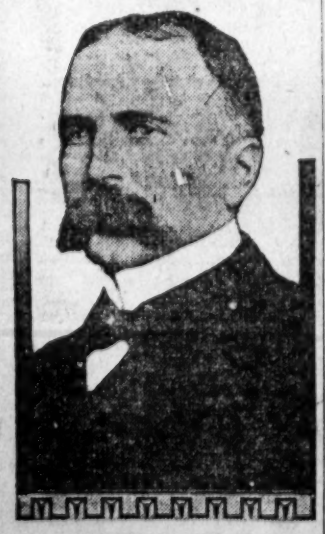
From 6 o'clock last night until the small hours that came just before the dawn this morning, throngs crowded Chestnut street, in front of The Morning Star building, and watched the battle of ballots as projected on the screen in front of the office.

When Hughes started his runaway race early in the evening, the cheers of Republicans were veciferous, and when near 10 o'clock his election seemed assured, many of them sought their couches with satisqed smiles.

And then came the cyclone. Woodrow Wilson came from behind and began an uphill fight against overwhelming odds. Democrats regained hope. Wilson's picture on the screen became a signal for tumultous cheering.

As morning drew on, the air outside became chill, and as many of the faithful few as could do so sought the steps leading to the editorial rooms, and there draped themselves for sleep, to await the final triumph of their beloved leader. Traffic on the stairs was impossible without trampling on the recumbent forms of the slumbering voters. Even a few doys, who were, of course good dogs and barked only when Wilson was leading, followed their masters to the stairs, and there awaited the flash that would proclaim Democracy's triumph, or return the Republicans to power.

Insurance Commissioner



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Raleigh Man Makes Strong Statement. He's All Right Now, and Thanks Tanlac. He Gained 7 Pounds While His Daughter Gained 10 Pounds.

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"But that is not all Tanlac has done for me. I am happy, as any father would be, to know that my little 13-year-old daughter, Hazel, has also gained in health. She had suffered from indigestion, too. But now she is completely cured. Two bottles of Tanlac did the work for her. She has gained ten pounds and is full of health and spirits.

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WILSON'S ELECTION IS CLAIMED BY DEMOCRATIC CHAIRMAN THIS MORNING

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majority of the precincts of Washington county, in which Hagerstown is situated, indicated a dry victory. Annapolis voted to remain wet. Havre de Grace, where racing is conducted, voted dry.

The amendment to the constitution establishing the budget system in the state government is carried by a substantial majority.

The race between Dr. Joseph I. France, Republican, and Congressman David J. Lewis, Democrat, for United States Senator, was close at that hour. Dr. France had a lead in Baltimore City of more than 5,000, while Lewis was slightly ahead in the majority of the county precincts heard from.

Democrats elected four congressmen and Republicans two, a Republican gain of one.

HUGHES' MAJORITY DWINDLES AS INDIANA REPORTS COME IN

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 8. — Hughes' early lead in Indiana was reduced somewhat by late reports and returns up to 1 o'clock, with 1,475 of the 3,142 precincts in the state heard from, Hughes' lead was 7,994. If the present ratio continues, however, Hughes will have a plurality of about 15,000. The returns e from 84 of the 92 counties in the State.

Republican State Chairman Hays issued a statement claiming Hughes wiuld have a plurality of 50,000. Fairbanks, Republican vice-presidential nominee, sent a message of congratulations to Mr. Hughes at midnight.

HUGHES LEADING IN WEST VIRGINIA ON SLOW RETURNS

Charleston, W. Va., Nov. 8.—West Virginia's returns were so slow that to accurately forecast the result this morning was impossible ,although the Republican nominees were leading in most instances.

Two hundred and sixty-five precincts out of the 1,713 give Hughes a plurality of 3,042. If this ratio is maintained throughout the state Hughe's plurality will be 19,700. Returns from 155 precincts out of 1,713 in the state give Robinson, Republican nominee for governor, a lead of nine votes over his Democratic opponent, Cornwell, while Sutherland, Republican, nominee for Senator, has a safe lead over Chilton, Democrat. Returns also indicated that the Republicans will elect four congressmen, those in the third, fifth and sixth districts. The Democratic nominees are leading in the first and second districts while the fourth district of doubtful.

The suffrage amendment is defeated on the face of the returns thus far received.

DEMOCRATS AT 2:30 THIS MORNING CLAIMED DELAWARE

Wilmington, Del., Nov. 8.—The Democrats at 2:30 a. m. claimed Delaware for Wilson and Falcott Democrat, for Senator, 115 of 117 districts in Wilmington gave Hughes 11,184; Wilson 10,405.

Kent and Sussex counties were claimed to have gone for Wilson sufficiently strong to overcome Hughes' plurality in Wilmington. Dupont Republican, for Senator ran behind Hughes and probably is defeated by Wallcott.

Miller, Republican, is believed to have been re-elected to congress.

NEW JERSEY IS INDICATED REPUBLICAN BY ABOUT 30,000

Trenton, N. J., Nov. 7.—Scattering returns received here shortly before midnight indicated Hughes had carried New Jersey by a plurality of 30,000.

Republican state headquarters made the assertion that in addition to Walter E. Edge, for governor ,and Joseph S. Frelinghuysen, for United States Senator, the Republicans had elected ten of the twelve congresmen and also had obtained majorities in the general assembly.

MICHIGAN IS PRACTICALLY CONCEDED TO REPUBLICANS

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 7.—Democratic leaders shortly before midnight practically conceded that Hughes would carry Michigan. Returns from 215 precincts, about one-tenth of the state, gave Hughes 32,048 and Wilson 27,042. Hughes plurality has been growing consistently since the first returns were received. The precincts, which thus far have reported, embrace 51 of the 83 counties.

The amendment for statewide prohibition, with 244 precincts in 43 counties heard from, had a majority of more than 12,000. The amendment providing for home rule was being beaten by a constantly growing majority.

CLAIMS WILSON WILL HAVE TOTAL OF 306 ELECTORAL VOTES

New York, Nov. 7.—Robert J. Wolley, director of publicity of the Democratic National committee, announced at 10:15 o'clock that the committee claimed 306 electoral votes for Wilson based on the reports of state and county chairmen from the New England, Middle West and Northwestern states.

Mr. Woolley, suppimenting his statement, said:

"Remember 1892. In that year all of the election night figures had to be re-

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Seattle, Wash., Nov. 8.—Returns from 242 precincts out of 2,385 in Washington give Hughes 19,053; Wilson 21,684.

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STATE DEMOCRATIC MAJORITY 45,000 WARREN DECLARES

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other county offices seemed to have gone Republican.

Very little interest was manifested in the vote on the amendments. Both parties polled approximately 15 percent more than in former years. A great deal of local interest was manifested.

ROBESON IS DEMOCRATIC BY 1,800 TO 2,000 MAJORITY

(By Long Distance Telephone.)

Lumberton, N. C., Nov. 7.—Eighteen out of 25 precincts in Robeson give: Wilson 2,419, Hughes 916; Bickett 2,882, Linney 929; Godwin 2,378, McCaskill 1,140; Democratic county and legislative ticket given 1,760 majority in those precincts heard from. The total Democratic majority in the county will be 1,800 to 2,000.

DUPLIN DEMOCRATIC BY 150 TO 450 MAJORITY

Warsaw, N. C., Nov. 7.—Polling approximately 3,000 votes, the largest ever cast in Duplin the county gives majority of 450 for Wilson, 400 for the State and congresional Democratic tickets and 150 for the Democratic county candidates. The result of the vote on the constitutional amendments is not known here yet.

MECKLENBURG COUNTY GIVES 3,000 DEMOCRATIC MAJORITY

(Special Star Telegram)

Charlotte, Nov. 7. —Out of 35 precincts with four to hear from, Mecklenburg county gave the Democratic tickets, county, State and National, a majority of 3,000 or more Webb, for Congress, appears to be leading the ticket. As to the vote on the Constitutional amendments, no tabulation is made. Eight hundred more votes were cast in this election than last.

LENOIR AND GREEN COUNTIES GIVE GOOD DEMOCRATIC VOTES

(Special Star Telegram)

Kinston, N. C., Nov. 7.—Lenoir county gave a majority of approximately 3,100 for the Democratic ticket, according to estimates based on returns from six out of 13 precincts. The city of Kinston practically doubles its majority over 1914.

Greene county gave a slightly increased Democratic majority of 500 or better, it is estimated, while Onslow, in which the Republicans made their stiffest fight in this section, gave a possibly increased Democratic majority, and Duplin, openly claimed by the Republicans, is safe in the Democratic column, according to a report from Kenansville.

BIG GAINS RECORDED BY WAKE COUNTY DEMOCRATS

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 7.—Twenty of the 39 precincts in Wake county reported show Democratic majorities in rural precincts heretofore Republican, Chairman Broughton says Wake majority will be 2,000. Raleigh gives 1,000 Democratic majority. Reports to Democratic head-quarters show Cleveland 1,300, Durham 2,000, Granville 100, Iredell 400, Stanley 200, Democratic majority. Stanley Republican last election.

REPUBLICAN MAJORITY LESS THAN IT WAS TWO YEARS AGO.

(By Long Distance Telephone.)

Clinton, N. C., Nov. 7.—Sampson county Republican ticket is elected by about 1,300, a reduction of 200 from two years ago. Major Geo. Butler ran behind his ticket, while Wilson ran ahead of the Democratic county ticket. Congressman Hood claims re-election by 3,000 to 3,500 majority.

Fayetteville, N. C., Nov. 7.—Latest returns give Cumberland county 800 Democratic majority.

PENDER DEMOCRATIC BY 600 MAJORITY; PROBABLY MORE

(By Long Distance Telephone)

Burgaw, N. C., Nov. 7.—Pender county gives not less than 600 majority for the Democratic State and National tickets, Congressman Hood and the constitutional amendments. The county ticket ran slightly behind the State and National. So did the Legislative ticket.

OVERWHELMING DEMOCRATIC MAJORITY IN BOLTON PRECINCT

(By Long Distance Telephone)

Bolton, N. C., Nov. 7.—Bolton precinct gives 107 votes for the Democratic National ticket, 17 for the Republican; Godwin 120, McCaskill 17; county ticket, Democratic 129, Republican 19.

DEMOCRATIC MAJORITY IN GASTON INCREASED BY 100

(Special Star Telegram)

Gastonia, N. C., Nov. 7.—With all but one of the smaller precincts in the county yet to be heard from, election returns show a majority in Gaston county of about seven hundred for the Democratic ticket. This is an increase of about one hundred in the Democratic majority of two years ago.

SCOTLAND COUNTY STILL IS OVERWHELMINGLY DEMOCRATIC

Laurinburg, N. C., Nov. 7.—Scotland county is overwhelmingly Democratic; Wilson 937, Hughes 187; for Congress, Seventh district, Lee Robinson 938, Pressley Brown 182.

For governor, Bickett 722, Linney 90; Democrats elect all county officers by huge majority.

DEMOCRATIC MAJORITY IN NORTH CAROLINA OVER 45,000?

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 7.—Returns and estimates indicate that the Democratic majority in North Carolina is above 45,000. Returns from 12 counties out of 100 give President Wilson 12,300 majority.

HARNET GOES DEMOCRATIC BY 364 MAJORITY; WILSON LEADS

(Special Star Telegram)

Dunn, N. C., Nov. 7.—Harnett goes Democratic by 364 majority, Wilson leads the ticket by 100 votes. Godwin leads the ticket by 100 votes.

CRAVEN OVERWHELMINGLY DEMOCRATIC, OF COURSE

New Bern, N. C., Nov. 7.—Ten precincts in Craven county give Wilson 1,169, Hughes 250; Bickett 1,185, Linney, 216; Hood 1,152, Butler 236. The vote on the Amendments was light.

JONES COUNTY GIVES 500 MAJORITY FOR MR. WILSON

New Bern, N. C., Nov. 7.—Jones county gives Wilson 700; Hughes 200. Vote on the Amendments is light.

DEMOCRATIC MAJORITY IN BLADEN PROBABLY 550.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Elizabethtown, N. C., Nov. 7.—Twelve out of 15 townships give Democratic majority of 526. Probable Democratic majority 550, against majority of 90 to 250 in 1914. No news as to amendments except Elizabethtown, 126 for and 60 against. National, State and county tickets have same majorities, approximately.

REPRESENTATIVE WEBB IS RE-ELECTED BY OVER 3,000

Charlotte, N. C., Nov. 7.—With practically all of the Ninth congressional district heard from, the Democratic incumbent, Representative Yates Webb, of Shelby, has been re-elected by a majority of 3,000 or more.

Mr. Webb's majority will approximate 3,250. Mr. Webb is chairman of the Judiciary committee of the House.

HARNETT DEMOCRATIC BY 300 ACCORDING TO EARLY REPORT

(Special Star Telegram)

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 7.—Bulletins received at Democratic State headquarters to 8 o'clock give these Democratic majorities: Burke 150; Guilford 1,500; Harnett 300; Hoke 700; Pasquotank 900; Vance 800.

ONSLOW DEMOCRATIC OVER 500 AND THE AMENDMENTS CARRIED

(Special Star Telegram.)

Jacksonville, N. C., Nov. 7.—Onslow has gone Democratic by over 500 majority. Horace Grant has been elected to the Legislature. G. E. Hood ran along with the rest of the ticket, with Wilson leading. Amendments carried.

BLADEN DEMOCRATIC BY OVER 500 AMENDMENTS ARE IN DOUBT.

Elizabethtown, N. C., Nov. 7.—Eight out of 15 townships give Democratic ticket 500 majority for National, State and county tickets. Bladen will give all Democratic candidates 500 majority. Amendments are in doubt; probably carried.

TWO SCORE GREEKS WERE KILLED IN KATERINA FIGHT

Katerina, Greece, Nov. 6 (via London, Nov. 7.)—In an encounter between the forces of the Venizelos government, which occupied Katerina, and the loyal troops sent here, two score were killed and five wounded. Except for this action there has been no fighting thus far between the Greek forces.

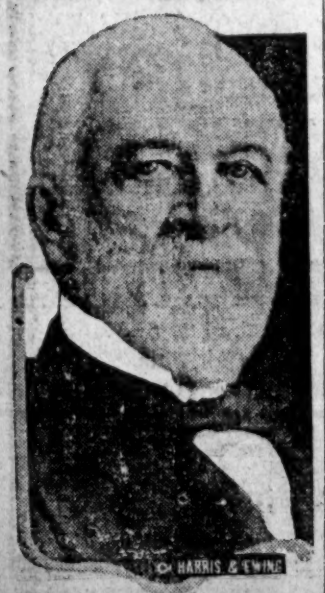
The Venizelos groups will be withdrawn in order to avoid further encounters. French forces having been detailed to take over the town, M. Venizelos has decided not to oppose their coming, desiring to avoid fighting among Greeks.

Paris, Nov. 7.—The French took German positions on a front of four kilometers (two and one-half miles) extending from Chaulnes wood to southeast of Ablaincourt refinery, says the official communication issued by the war office tonight. The villages of Ablaincourt and Pressoire and Ablaincourt cemetery were captured. More than 500 prisoners were taken.

STATE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION

J. Y. JOYNER

RE-ELECTED IN FIFTH DISTRICT FOR CONGRESS



CHAS. M. STEDMAN

ARGENTINA NOW HAS HER FIRST RADICAL PRESIDENT.

Session of Congress Just Ended Virtually Without Achievement.

(Correspondence of Associated Press.)

Buenos Aires, Oct. 26.—The ordinary session of the Argentine congress ended just previous to the recent change in government when a radical president assumed power for the first time in history.

The period just closed has not been remarkable for legislation. The best paid parliament in the world, its achievements during the ordinary period have been mediocre, practically nil. As usual the estimates were left to be delat with in extraordinary session. It is felt that the new administrator's first serious difficulty will be with national finances. In regard to provincial finances they are seldom considered. They represent a permanent source of trouble—a chronic chaos. The situation is not improved by the studied silence of the new president, Dr. Irigoyen, whose pre-election taciturnity has been maintained with the utmost rigidity. No one knows what his policy may be; his platform is an enigma.

Among the last acts of the outgoing government were the framing by President de la Plaza, of a sound currency bill. The idea is to harmonize the paper "peso" or dollar with a gold basis. At present the paper dollar, legal currency, equals 44 cents gold. The president's plan is to make the unit or dollar equal to a five franc French currency. Twenty cents Argentine paper would therefore be the minor unit equal to the franc. It would thus meet the requirements of the decimal system and that of the nations comprised within the Latin league. The paper dollar, 44 cents, would disappear altogether, and the arrangement based upon the actual stock of gold in the Republic would be, when complete, perfectly in accord with the ideal, a guaranteed circulating medium of a definite and invariable value.

A revised customs tariff has also been considered. The author is the outgoing Minister of Finance, who, like his chief, is content to bequeath the project to his successor.

WAR PROVING EXPENSIVE FOR HOLLAND GOVERNMENT

Dutch Treasury Paid Out $178,400,000 During First Two Years.

The Hague, Netherlands, Nov. 7.—The first two years of the European war cost the Dutch treasury $178,400,000, according to figures just issued by the ministry of finance. That amount includes the sum of $8,200,000 already raised by special taxation. Deficits on the normal budgets constituted a further charge of $21,800,000. If things continue as at present the national debt will have increased by $280,000,000 by the end of 1917, or by about half the entire figure at which it stood before the war. The two war loans so far issued amounted together to $160,000,000 the whole of which sum has since disappeared. Another loan is already under discussion, but the tax on war profits and special defense taxes or war levies will also in due course be a source of much strength, being estimated to bring in at least $60,000,000 and probably calculated to yield much more.

To put the figures in another way, the war crisis, with the retention of an army of over a quarter of a million on a war footing, has so far cost Holland nearly $8,000,000 a month. An expert economist estimates that the further far-reaching measures which the government proposes to take to ensure an adequate food supply for the people at moderate prices will raise the present food expenditure to $40,000,000 a year. If that prove to be the case, and assuming that the mobilized army is kept up to its present strength, war crisis expenditures in coming months will rise to $10,000,000 monthly.

ANTI-SWEARING LEAGUE

Is the Latest Social Phenomenon in Holland.

Amsterdam, Netherlands, Nov. 7. — An anti-swearing league is the latest social phenomenon in Holland. If the speakers at its foundation meet are to be credited, the Dutchman is becoming badly addicted to transgressing the third commandment, both in the salons of the rich and in the cottages of the poor, while cursing is said to have spread to a "terrible" extent in the camps and barracks of the mobilized army.

Among the suggestions put forward for combatting the evil was that employers should be requested to hang up a prohibition of swearing in their factories and workshops, and that the government should be asked to forbid it in all branches of the public service.

North Dakota for Hughes.

Fargo, N. D., Nov. 7.—First returns from North Dakota indicate that Hughes has carried the state and that McCumber has been re-elected Senator over John Burke, Federal treasurer.

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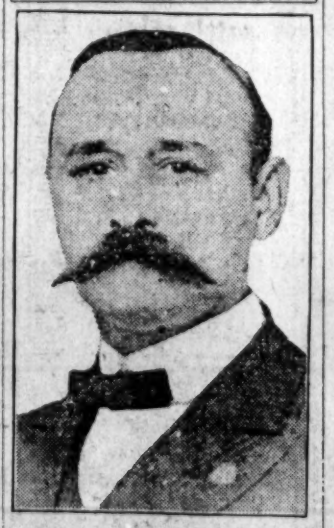

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TOP O' THE MORNING.

He who has gained character at the expense of ease and leisure and pleasure is never again confused by the charms or delights or solicitations of these lesser things.

—MABIE.

Oh, you simple life, from now till the next election!

Well, are you satisfied with the part you took in it?

It's all over. Hurrah for Wilson and the great masses of the American people!

No, you need not go in your hole and pull it in after you. Be too big for any kind of hole to fit you.

All of us can do whatever we can do. Most of us do not do one half the things that we can do.

Somebody is bound to be disappointed in yesterday's election. What is pie for some in punk to others.

Good morning, Governor Bickett, Shake! For the next four years North Carolina will have the ablest governor in the South.

The time for disputing is over. Let it all pass. Map out a new route and go right on like you are on the way somewhere. Time is flying and we had better do some flying, too.

Get a new move on you. We can get a new gait for ourselves when we can't get all the other things we want. We want too much, anyhow. We can quit wanting something for nothing. When something is wanted the thing for us to do is to go out and make it think that we are after it.

Three more days of the Corn Show in Wilmington! It is open day and night. See the exhibits of the nine resourceful counties surrounding the Cape Fear metropolis. It is a bigger and better show than all previous exhibitions. The decorations are both artistic and elabrate. Don't fail to go today.

The woman in 12 states voted yesterday and helped to elect the president. Women have that privilege in one forth of the 48 states of the Union, but it isn't fair to the country as a whole for one class to be qualified in 12 states and be disqualified in 36 states. However, maybe the women voted for Wilson!

As an evidence of the interest taken in the election by Wilmington people, they began at 1 o'clock yesterday telephoning to The Star office for the election news. One man actually 'phoned at 1:30 p. m. and asked how New York went! A lady 'phoned at 11 a. m. to know if Wilson was carrying the county.

In the account of a wedding it was said that "the groom was snupported by his best man." However, the groom won't have a thing coming to him in the way of support for himself and bride when the wedding is over. The groom has to get busy and support himself and do what the groomess is expecting of him.

It's interesting to spot 'em at the ballot box. One fellow comes up and, with an air that bespeaks consciousness of doing the right thing, calls aloud for the Democratic ticket from president down. Another comes along with an air of slyness, his eye glancing hither and thither, and calls for some tickets of all sorts, says its nobody's business how he votes, goes off and marks his ballots and gets them in the boxes with great care to make sure that nobody knows how he votes. Well, he has a constitutional right to vote that way. Nobody questions that, but the point is that when a man takes so much pains to keep his vote a secret, all observers know which side to put him on. He tells on himself.

THE ELECTION

At this writing, towards midnight, the election news discourages the belief that the American voters have given their endorsement to President Wilson.

The people were asked for a vote of confidence in the President of their Republic for the wise manner in which he has handled the affairs of the Nation during such a cumulation and recurrence of crises as America has never been called upon to face before in all the history of the world. The American people were expected to say at the ballot box that they sympathize with their President and approve the statesmanship that he has exercised for their safety and the good of their Nation.

The Republican candidate and his backers have waged a campaign cast solely upon lines to undermine the confidence of the people in President Wilson and his administration. How well or how badly they have failed may be seen in the vote of the American people who recorded their verdict at yesterday's election. Judge Hughes launched his campaign with a big grouch and asked the people to condemn President Wilson. It has been a campaign of misrepresentation, criticism and villification unworthy of men of any degree of eminence in this country. They presented no well defined issues. Nevertheless there were momentious, serious and grave problems to be discussed with wisdom, free from partisanship or heat.

Hughes boldly proposed to the American people to make him President without the least assurance of a national programme of his own for promotion of the peace, the prosperity and the progress of the American nation. Hughes announced no definite purpose for which he asked approval, as contradistinct to that of President Wilson's domestic and foreign policies. Hughes simply asked the people to swap horses in the middle of a raging stream. He did not speak for himself but only against Wilson.

In the midst of a strange and powerful psychology, the people have decided at the ballot box. It will augur ill for the safety of the Nation if its people have decided in a monstrous crisis that they reject a leader for one who utterly failed to display to them the least claim for leadership in a time when the whole world is trembling on the brink of chaos.

ONE INDUSTRY FOLLOWS ANOTHER

Orangeburg, S. C., having organized a packing house company last summer, has followed it up by organizing a creamery. A creamery is a collateral industry along with the livestock industry that is always promoted by a packing house industry. Later will come a cheese factory, and yet that is not all, since a large growth of the livestock industry in a state means a tannery sooner or later.

There is no other farm industry with so many possibilities in it as the livestock industry, and once Eastern North Carolina promotes the raising of cattle, hogs, sheep and goats, the result will astonish even those who have been convinced that the opportunity in this section for a livestock industry is one of inconceivable magnitude.

The Star, at times, has emphasized the opportunity for both a creamery and a packing house, and once Wilmington has either both will be a surety. We must keep in mind the indisputable fact that a livestock industry is the greatest means open to us for development. We have other farm and industrial opportunities as well, but we can't get away from the fact that the livestock state of Iowa has developed more rural wealth than ten of our cotton states combined. That surely ought to make us appreciate what wealth producing factors are livestock raising, packing houses, creameries, tanneries, and cheese factories.

Wilmington is on the right track in persisting in her packing house enterprise, and the $20,000 to $25,000 additional capital stock should be subscribed at once so no time may be lost in beginning operations and prosecuting the plans for promoting a great meat animal industry in this section. The adaptabilities here are too great for us to delay the vigorous prosecution of something that will develop this section and bring to it a desirable class of home seekers.

By reason of the fact that Orangeburg is to have a livestock market, Western parties already are negotiating for stock farms in the South Carolina counties embraced in the Orangeburg territory. That is one of the results of providing a market for livestock.

METHODS AND MANNERS, JEERS AND HOOTS.

When men like Taft get jeered on the hustings they can blame themselves. During the campaign Hughes has been heckled by the crowds and the running board of President Wilson's automobile was mounted by a fool, knave or crank. Among millions of men moved in various ways by the issues and the speeches of the various campaigners, the great mass of men can be depended upon to be respectful, but there are always some who are more resentful than respectful to any or all to whom they are opposed for some reason or other, and perhaps without any reason at all.

In staid old Connecticut on Monday, former President Taft failed to meet with the respect due a man who has been the President of the great American Republic. He attempted to speak to a New Haven crowd of workmen at a munitions factory, but he was jeered and hooted so vigorously that he was compelled to abandon his speech. What else could he suspect and what else could he expect?

"I have no complaint to make," he remarked afterwards, but then he went right on and made more than an ordinary complaint, for he added: "Such demonstrations, I am disposed to think, make votes for the Republican party." Make votes, nothing. He talks as if that munitions audience were the whole Democratic party. The fact is, he wanted to speak and the crowd did not want to hear his kind of talk. He brought them the wrong message, and the probability is that he wanted to criticise and abuse the President of the United States. If so, his speech was less dignified for a former president than was the jeers and hoots of loyal American citizens.

Of course, it is all regretful, but the most regretful part or it is that men so eminent as Hughes, Taft and Roosevelt have gone on the stump as rank partisans and have not deigned to refer in the most disrespectful and outrageous terms to the President of their country. When men stoop to the character of campaign that they have carried on, they have no right to be either astonished or grieved that they challenge disrespect, dishonor and resentment for themselves. They set a horrible example and the crowd follows it to a "T".

When men do not want to get what is coming to them they should refrain from going where they are more than apt to get it. We hope the precedent set by Hughes, Roosevelt and Taft in this campaign will not be adopted as an American campaign standard for the future. Their methods and manners are not a whit better than those of some of the crowd. 'Tis true. Pity 'tis true."

THE TOURIST SEASON APPROACHING.

Florida is preparing for the greatest tourist season in her history, even exceeding the record season last winter.

What a perfectly lovely region is the Cape Fear section as a resort for tourists to stop over going to Florida in the winter and to stop over on the return north at the close of the winter season in the Land of Flowers. In October and November the Cape Fear section is ideal as to golden sunshine and bracing air, and tourists surely would stop over here on their way farther south if they only knew about our good roads for motoring and were aware that hereabouts are lakes, sounds and streams as beautiful and picturesque as anywhere on earth.

As if that were not enough, the blue Atlantic sweeps within 35 minutes trolley ride of Wilmington. When the weather in Florida gets too enervating in the late winter, then the homeward bound tourists could stop over here and find another season even more delicious than our lovely fall and early winter weather. That would enable them to return to the cold North by easy stages.

We surely ought to make an asset of the climate of this incomparable section. We make an asset of summer, but what are we going to do with the Cape Fear section's fall and spring seasons? Indeed, this is a natural tourist paradise in many respects. It would take a book to tell it.

CURRENT COMMENT.

The length of the battle line in Europe, Asia Minor and Africa now approximates 4,000 miles, the equivalent of one-sixth of the earth's surface. It includes fronts in France, Belgium, Russia, Italy, Rumania, Macedonia, Albania, the Caucasus, Mesopotamia, Egypt, Tripoli and East Africa.—Minneapolis Journal.

This editor expects tomorrow to cast but one vote—and that vote will be for Major Stedman. It is the hope of this paper that every man in Greensboro will vote for him. Of course we do not expect Republicans to do this—we mean every man who is a Democrat or independent. Major Stedman is home—he is in town today, looking the picture of health. His temporary trouble has made it impossible for him to take part in the campaign—but his friends have been loyal. In Congress Major Stedman has measured up with any other Congressman in the United States. He has been as young as any member when it came to representing his constituents. There has never been made a legitimate request of him, but what he has responded and taken care of the offifficial business. He is on important committees and stands ace high with all his colleagues. There is no reason to change. There are many reasons why he should be re-elected—and most of all is the reason that the South should be proud to keep in Congress a Confederate soldier. He is the last of the old guard—and the Democrats of the Fifth district—enjoying a handsome majority—have a duty to perform. Vote for Stedman, and see that your friend votes the same way.—Greensboro Record (Ind.) Nov. 7.

Again the grasp of the hands of the holders of the repudiated bonds of North Carolina of Reconstruction Days is at the throat of this State. This time it is through a foreign power that they seek the grip, for it is Cuba which is now endeavoring to have the United States Supreme Court grant it the right to file a petition to have North Carolina pay some of its repudiated bonds to the amount of $2,186,000. This is the news which first came as an Associated Press message to the State yesterday, and right on the eve of the election there is brought home to our people knowledge of the volcano upon which they stand so long as there are schemers ready to exploit the State in order to fatten their pocketbooks. In North Carolina these have been unmasked before. When the mask lifts this time whom shall we discover? The connection of former United States Senator Marion Butler, and of the late ex-Gov. D. L. Russell with the fight made upon this State for payment of what were known as the Schaffer South Dakota bonds is a matter of record. Since that time bonds of the repudiated class have been offered to various States in order to have those States sue North Carolina, but thus far there has been no State found ready to sell itself for a few paltry dollars. And the parties offering the bonds to the states have managed to keep their tracks covered. Failing to get a state of the United States to sue North Carolina the fight is now transferred to a foreign country, and having either given or sold to Cuba bonds to the amount of $2,186,000 that country is now seeking to have the United States Supreme Court grant it the right to press its suit against this State. As yet there is nothing available to indicate who sold or gave the bonds to Cuba. But whatever there is the mention of North Carolina repudiated bonds there comes thoughts of the syndicate hawking round the bonds, and Marion Butler was one of that syndicate. No matter who is beind the attempt to again hold up North Carolina the fact that some one is now using Cuba as a catspaw for the collection of the repudiated bonds gives notice to North Carolina that it must beware of the lure of the Republicans, who if ever in power in the State will without doubt make it so that our people will be called upon to pay out vast sums of money. This latest development shows that the bond seekers are going to stop at nothing in order to gain their point. They stopped at nothing before, and they will stop at nothing now.—Raleigh News ad Observer.

BIG RECLAMATION PROJECT.

Large Body of Land Near Bayboro to be Open to Colonization.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Kinston, N. C., Nov. 7.—The reclamation of 9,000 or more acres in the vicinity of Bayboro, Pamlico county, by a local drainage company, now in progress, will turn over a big part of a township to colonization, by the plan of the promoters. It is understood that a lumber company doing a large business in Eastern Carolina will settle a number of families on the redeemed land. Increase of the acreage being drained has caused the local company to have two additional dredges constructed. Both water and land dredges, all giant machines, are being employed. Twenty miles of canals will be constructed. Another project of considerable importance under way is in the Clay Root section of Pitt county, where seven miles of canals have been dug.

Kinston, N. C., Nov. 7.—The Lenoir county board of education kept the schools under its jurisdiction literally out of politics today by means of a resolution passed late yesterday forbidding the holding of public meetings on school grounds, the suspension of schools because of the elections and the placing of ballot boxes on grounds. The publication of the resolution was preceded by its communication to the sheriff and the chairman of the board of elections.

YOUR MEERCHAUM PIPE.

Its Making One of the Most Interesting Processes of Manufacture.

(From Popular Science Monthly.)

Meershaum pipe making is one of the most interesting processes of the American mid-West. In normal times, the meerschaum comes from abroad. Just now, that export trade has stopped, the pipe makers get it from others at home—wherever it may be bought. It is shipped in white blocks, resembling ivory. But the substance is considerably whiter than the usual elephant tusk is and very much lighter. In fact, the lihtness of a given block of meerschaum is astonishing, comments the Popular Science Monthly for September.

Handled for American manufacturers largely through New York commission houses, most of the best meerschaum is brought from Turkey in Europe. It arrives in little chests, or kasten, within which tach separate piece of the substance is found securely wrapped in cotton. Such meerschaum is paid for by the number of pieces. Curiously enough, the dealers prefer small pieces to large, since it takes an expert cutter to know how to cut such with minimum amount of waste. Skilled meerschaum cutters out of a job are not easy to find.

Cutting the meerschaum—the first step in pipe manufacture—is done with an ordinary saw. A good workman can cut the forms for perhaps two dozen pipes from the raw material in a single working day. As cut, these rough forcs are thrown into cold water to soak. In the water they are left until the supply desired is cut up and the man ready to go on with the pipes.

Rudely assembling the ultimate pipe, each form is taken in hand and a hole drilled into the pipe head. Into this hole—the future bowl of the pipe—a plug, on a nearby lathe, must fit. With the emaryo pipe mounted on this shaping is begun.

The next stop in the process, old fashioned rushes are used—cut into slits and employed for polishing the pipes. Usually the rushes are moistened for such use. They impart a polish which, it appears, cannot be otherwise obtained.

Neatly shaped and polished, your meerschaum pipe must be subjected to still another process. The pipe is boiled in common bees' wax, because no piece of meerschaum in the raw state will "color" as smokers require.

After this boiling the pipes are permitted to cool. Then they are given another polishing—this time with cotton flannel sheets and prepared chalk. Even that does not suffice. There must still go to that pipe a final hand polishing, done with alcohol.

From the time of starting a pipe until its completion a half day's steady labor of the most skillful workmen is required.

GASTON GIVES WEBB ABOUT 500 MAJORITY, INDICATED.

Gastonia, N. C., Nov. 7.—With only two precincts to hear from, Congressman Webb has majority of 584.

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Glazed Kid 8-in. Boot, $6.0 value $4.98
Grey Kid, Tan $3.98, $4.98, $6.48
Brown Kid Lace Boot, ... $3.98 and $4.98
Black Kid Lace, with white top, $5.00 value $3.98

MEN'S SHOES
Tan and Black English Shoe $3.50, $4.50, $5.00
Patent and Gun Metal Lace, and Button $2.48, $2.98, $3.50
One lot Men's $3.50 to $5.00 Shoes; priced special at $1.98

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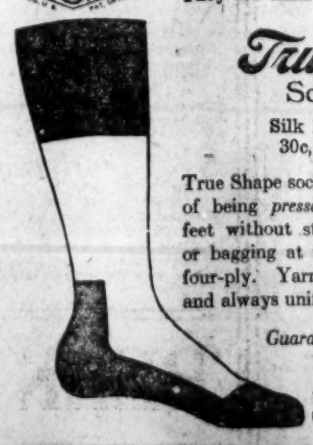

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FOURTH ANNUAL CORN SHOW HAS AUSPICIOUS OPENING

Mayor Moore in Eloquent Address Formally Starts the Fair in Tabernacle.

BIG PARADE FEATURE TODAY

Hundreds of Exhibits on Display, Including Livestock and Farm Products.

Standing on a platform draped with the Stars and Stripes, Mayor Parker Quince Moore in a brief address formally opened Wilmington's fourth annual Corn Show at 10 o'clock yesterday morning, in the Chapman-Alexander Tabernacle on Castle street.

Nature herself could have provided no more perfect setting for the stage of Eastern Carolina's harvest jubilee. The beautiful and artistically draped exhibits, bathed in the glory of the morning sun that sifted through the windows, formed with the group of young women, the flower of Wilmington's womanhood, a scene that was at once inspiring and magnificent.

Mr. Moore gave a brief sketch of the Corn Show's history, and told how it had grown from a little side attraction in the old express office until within the few short years of its existence it had become the greatest festival of the Tidewater section of the State. He also sketched the wonderful forward strides that had been made during the past few years by the farmers of the country, and bade the Corn Show and its host of followers welcome to the hospitality that Wilmington had to offer.

The fact that it was election day kept the crowds that attended yesterday from being large but today the buildings will be thronged with visitors from all the surrounding sections. The last exhibits were put in place yesterday and for three days more Wilmington will have a fair of which her people may be justly proud.

Last night a large crowd gathered at the Tabernacle to view the exhibits and to get the election returns which were flashed by a stereopticon on a large screen in the building.

Parade Feature Today.

Starting promptly at 10 o'clock at Tenth and Market streets, the big parade of floats which will be the principal feature of the Corn Show today will move through the principal streets of the city. It will be headed by the Wilmington Light Infantry and the Hanover Concert band followed by the Boy Scouts and the Wilmington fire and police departments and then will come in automobiles the gray haired Confederate Veterans whom Wilmington always delights to honor. It is certain that no part of the parade will be more cordially greeted by the big crowds on the streets today than these faithful and stalwart soldiers of former days.

The marshals for the parade will be Messrs. T. R. Ames, R. C. Cantwell, Jr., S. M. Boatwright, Meares Harriss, M. A. Curtis and J. P. Herring.

The line of march will be as follows: The parade will form at Tenth and Market, down Market to Fifth, Fifth to Castle, Castle to Front, Front to Walnut, Walnut to Third, Third to City Hall.

The firms, individuals and organizations which will have floats in the parade will include the following: Atlantic Paint & Varnish Co., Bear & Company, Cement Products Company, Clark-Lynch Lumber Company, Cape Fear Oil Company, Cantwell Lumber Company, Cape Fear Machine Works, Farmers' Co-Operative Association, Frost Ice Cream Company, Lassiter-McDuffie Company, Matthews' Candy Company, Miss Lucy B. Moore, Mr. W. D. MacMillan, Jr., Pepsi-Cola Company, Plate Ice Company, William Rehder, florist; North Carolina Sorosis, Standard Oil Company, Southern Sign Shop, Tidewater Power Company, Sterchi-Bancroft Furniture Co., C. W. Polvogt, Einstein Bros., Wilmington Cycle Co., Bon Marche, L. W. Moore, Queen Cycle Co., Royal Bakery, Wilmington Laundry, New Way Market, W. R. Dosher & Co., Cannon Auto Company, Wilmington Iron Works, Mrs. Coyle, Busy Bee Club, Winter Park, Wilmington Fox Club, J. H. Fuchs, F. C. Cover, floral; Young Woman's Christian Association, Housewives' League.

Hundreds of Exhibits.

The sight that greets the eyes of the visitor as he enters through the main door of the Tabernacle, is one of bewildering beauty. Six long lines of prettily decorated booths, representing scores of firms and industries stretch in orderly rows from the front of the big building back to the incline in the extreme rear, where the agricultural exhibits are on display.

The general plan of the alignment is laid out with mathematical precision in streets or aisles, each section being designated by letters. The Sorosis dining room and check room are conspicuously located in northeastern corner of the building, just inside the main entrance, and are already beginning to take on a business-like appearance. Here meals are served at convenient hours.

Walking down Section A, the first exhibit that comes into view is that of the Housewives' League, showing by its offering, the principles for which it stands. Next is the Art Exhibit, prettily decorated and displaying all sorts of paintings, water colors, pastels, crayon work, pine needle baskets and hand painted china ware, all done by entirely local talent. It is a distinct tribute to the skill and craftsmanship of New Hanover county.

The United Farm Women of Wrightsboro are next in line with a tastefully draped booth, exhibiting their skill in the realms of domestic science. Their display makes a fine appearance, but woe unto it if some hungry picaninny ever raids those appetising viands when their guardian is not around.

Next stands the offering of the Scott's Hill Farmers' Union, with one of the most unique designs of the entire show. On a background, draped with southern moss, is worked the symbols of the agricultural profession, the ploughshares, rake and hoe, followed by the name of the club, all beautifully designed in raised letters with corn, wheat, rye and oat grains, peas, beans and watermelon seed, together with the seeds of the South's staple—cotton.

High on the agricultural roll of honor must be placed the handsome designs shown in the booth of Capt. E.

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CAROLINA TEAMS IN ACTION

Many Good Games Booked For Teams of The Carolinas This Week—Davidson Meets Carolina for Title

Football followers throughout the Carolinas will have plenty of things to interest them during the coming week. Practically every team in both states gets into action. And several of them invade other states in search of fresh fields to conquer.

Interest in North Carolina will center chiefly around the Davidson University game at Winston-Salem. The Red and Black outfit have demonstrated that they have one of the fastest elevens in their history, and will be in shape to give the Chapel Hill warriors the battle of their lives. On this game hinges the championship of the state, as practically all the other teams have been eliminated.

The A. & M. will journey to Annapolis where they will tackle the Middies. There is little or no doubt as to the outcome of this struggle, as it is practically a certainty that the Annapolis boys will win easily. Wake Forest also seems due for a licking at the hands of V. P. I. at Blacksburg, Va. However the Baptists have been coming strong for the past few weeks and may spring a surprise on the Techs.

No close games are expected in the Palmetto state, with the exception of the Furman-Georgia game. The Baptists are expected to hold the Crackers to a close score though the Georgians are booked to win. There is also an element of doubt in the Presbyterian-Erskine clash Friday.

Both the University and Clemson invade Virginia Saturday, Carolina taking on Virginia at Charlottesville, and Clemson trying their strength with V. M. I. at Richmond, Virginia should win from Carolina, but the Tigers are booked to take a close one from the Cadets.

Citadel and Wofford battle at Charleston today, but there is practically no doubt as to the outcome. The Soldiers should wallop the Methodists with ease. Barring an unexpected victory for Wofford, all South Carolina interest will turn toward the Citadel-Clemson game at Orangeburg next week.

JUDGE ROUNTREE WILL SPEAK TO HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

Occasion To Mark Exhibition of Bas-Reliefs of Former Governors

Judge Rountree has accepted an invitation to speak at the Wilmington High School Thursday morning at 9 o'clock, on the occasion of the exhibition of the bas-relief tablets of former Governors Chas. B. Aycock and Thos. Jarvis, which have been temporarily loaned to the local school authorities through the courtesy of Mr. H. E. Bonitz and Mr. J. H. Niggell, Jr. The bas-reliefs have been executed by a famous Italian sculptor and will be placed in the new High School building at Greenville, N. C., where Governor Jarvis lived in former years. Mr. Bonitz is architect for the new High School while Mr. Niggell is furnishing the stone work for the school building.

The tablets which will be exhibited to the students and the interested persons generally who desire to attend, are the second which have been made by the sculptor, the first having been sent to the bottom of the Mediterranean with the ship which was bringing them to this country. The vessel was torpedoed by a German submarine. The public is invited to attend the speaking at the High School.

MRS. CALHOUN DEAD

Passed Away at Residence Here Yesterday Afternoon—Funeral Today

Mrs. Sallie Dixon Calhoun, 36 years old, died suddenly yesterday afternoon shortly before 2:30 o'clock at her residence, No. 111 South 15th street. Mrs. Calhoun had been an invalid for more than a year, but her death which followed a stroke yesterday morning was unexpected and came as a great shock to her many friends and relatives in this city.

Besides her husband, Mr. D. N. Calhoun, she is survived by two little daughters, Evelyn, aged 11 years, and Vera, aged 6 years. She is also survived by a sister, Mrs. C. W. Gillmore, of Kingsburg, S. C., and a brother, Mr. Marvin Harris, of Columbia, S. C.

Mrs. Calhoun was born at Lykesland, S. C., but had lived with her family in Wilmington for the past five years. She was a member of Fifth Avenue Methodist church, of this city.

Her remains will be taken to Conway, S. C., on 5:35 Coast Line train this morning. Services will be held at the Conway Methodist church, and interment will follow in the cemetery at that place.

Recorder's Court.

M. C. Jones, white, was fined $10 and costs on the charge of carrying a concealed weapon at yesterday's session of Recorder's court, but gave notice of appeal to the Superior Court. He furnished bond for his appearance at the next criminal term of Superior Court.

OVER 2,200 MAJORITY IN NEW HANOVER COUNTY

Democrats Poll Big Vote In Yesterdays Election

oTtal Vote for State Offices Was 2,782. Bickett Led Ticket—Constitutional Amendments Carry. County Vote.

The Democrats carried New Hanover yesterday by a majority of more than 2,200, Bickett leading the ticket with 2,537 votes, while Linney polled but 245. The constitutional amendments were carried by a majority of 1,176 votes. Congressman H. L. Godwin polled an even 2,450 votes, while his Republican opponent, A. L. McCaskill, Esq., was given 264 votes.

While interest was keenest in the National election, the vote for Wilson was less than for either Bickett or Godwin, the total vote for the Democratic National ticket being 2,360, while the Republican National ticket led the Republicans with 493 votes for Hughes.

While the voting started early and up until 12 o'clock it looked like that there were bright prospects for the Democrats getting that majority of 3,000 for which they had been working. However, the voting fell off in the afternoon.

Judge W. P. Stacy, of this city, was given a handsome vote for election to the Superior Court bench for a term of eight years. His Republican opponent, Iredell Meares, Esq., also of this city, was given the full vote of the Republicans in this county.

Through a mistake in printing the county ticket the name of C. Ed Taylor, Esq., of Southport, was placed on it as Republican candidate for the State senate from the Tenth Senatorial district which is composed of New Hanover and Brunswick. It happened that Mr. Taylor was the Republican candidate for presidential elector from the Sixth Congressional district, which placed him, through no fault of his, as he had not intended to be a candidate for the State Senate, of being a candidate for two offices.

While every precaution was made to see that all voters were informed, so far as possible, of the mistake in the ballot, there were many of Mr. Taylor's friends in this county who voted for him anyway and he secured a total of 186 votes.

There was no Republican ticket in New Hanover county, the Democrats being unopposed for any of the offices. The total average vote for the different county condidates was 2,363 votes, this being the vote cast for E. H. Cranmer, Esq., of Southport, who was elected as the Senator from this district.

The county candidates elected in New Hanover yesterday to serve for the ensuing two years are as follows:

House of Representatives—L. Clayton Grant.
Register of Deeds—John Haar.
Sheriff—George C. Jackson.
Recorder—George Harriss.
County Solicitor—E. T. Burton.
County Commissioners — Addison Hewlett, W. A. McGirt and W. E. Yopp.
Coroner—A. S. Holden.

Mr. John W. Davis was elected as Messrs. G. W. Bornemann, W. McD. Evconstable for Wilmington township and ans, J. J. Moore, G. W. Smith and W. B. Savage for magistrates from this township.

The vote on the four constitutional amendments claimed but little attention from the voters, practically all of them voting for them, but the returns show that at least half of the voters were entirely indifferent to the fate of the amendments. The total vote for the amendments was 1,289 and the total number against them was 113, giving a majority in their favor of 1,176.

The election in Wilmington was as usual a quiet one, although there was intense interest in its outcome, particularly as to the National ticket. The voters talked of little else than the prospects of Messrs. Hughes and Wilson and throughout the day the chances of the two presidential candidates were discussed with absorbing interest.

Owing to the many different names appearing on the ballots, it was not an easy matter to complete the counting of the ballots. The results of the National ticket in this county was known early in the night, but it was not until after midnight that the total count was made known. Mr. E. Piner, secretary of the Board of Elections, remained at his office in the basement of the Court House until after midnight in order to get the complete returns.

The majority secured by the Democrats in New Hanover yesterday made an increase of 250 over that of four years ago while the total vote cast represents an increase of practically the same number of votes, the Republicans not having made any gains.

—Policeman W. H. Kermon was summoned with the city bloodhounds to the residence of Mr. Porter Davis on 17th street last night in answer to a call from Mrs. Davis who stated that two men were prowling about the premises. The dogs were unable to pick up any clues however.

FEDERAL COURT WILL CONVENE HERE TODAY

Judge H. G. Connor, of Wilson, to Preside Over Two-Weeks Term.

District Attorney J. O. Carr Will Make His Initial Appearance Here as Government Prosecutor. List of Jurors.

The regular fall term of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of North Carolina convenes here this morning at 10 o'clock with Judge H. G. Connor, of Wilson, presiding, while District Attorney J. O. Carr will appear for the government in the prosecution of defendants charged with the violation of the Federal laws.

Cases on Docket.

The $10,000 suit for alleged personal injuries brought by E. J. Warren against the Waccamaw Lumber Company is probably the most important case on the civil side of the docket. It has been set for trial on Friday, November 10. The plaintiff in the foregoing case is a cripple having lost his legs while in the employ of the defendant company some time ago. Another $10,000 action is that brought by P. B. Riley against the same company for personal injuries alleged to have been received in an accident while in the employ of the company. The case of the Salvage Corporation against R. B. Cromartie has been set for Monday, November 13, while the Brunswick Land & Lumber Company against D. L. Gore has been placed on the calendar for the following day.

The opening day and Thursday will be devoted to the trial of the criminal cases, which are few in number. They include three against alleged moonshiners as follows: Charles G. Owen, Columbus county; Will Inmann, Brunswick county, and Austin Mills, Columbus county. The fourth case is against John R. Powell, of Columbus county, who is charged with violation of the postal laws.

List of Jurors.

The list of jurors for the first and second weeks of court has been announced by Deputy Clerk S. P. Collier as follows:

First Week—Bladen county— E. Mears, A. McA. Melvin, Homer Lucas, A. A. Hilburn, Edwin Wilson and J. C. Dunham.

Brunswick county—E. H. Gray, A. P. Thomas, W. T. Mebane, D. B. Long, W. H. Gaylord, Willie Russ, W. F. Pierce, Tom Clemmons, S. I. King, and J. J. Pigott.

Columbus county—D. M. Creech, F. M. Ray, C. A. Usher and George Thompson.

Duplin county—T. R. Cameron, David T. Chambers, Best Teachey, Robert James, Jos. J. Garner and R. G. Maxwell.

New Hanover county—Jos. W. Yates, J. D. McCarley, W. G. Pulliam, Clyde W. Lassiter, Jas. N. Bryant, J. Holmes Davis, Neill Baxley, Daniel Quinlivan, John H. Thomas.

Pender county—Geo. J. Powell, M. S. George, Marvin Johnson, Tim Atkinson, W. E. Cowan and W. A. Cannon.

Sampson county—C. L. Matthews.

Second week—Bladen county—W. C. vick, Elias Edwards, L. J. Hester, Wright Edwards, W. F. Daniel, W. E. Devane, Lex Robinson and Zeb Edwards.

Brunswick county—J. T. Roper, C. C. Bland, W. W. Murrell, G. M. McKeithan and H. M. Ross.

Columbus county—F. M. Hester and H. C. Baldwin.

Duplin county—D. W. Fussell and Urie J. Johnson.

New Hanover county—Jas. M. Stevenson, Eugene A. Huhn, Thos. J. Burnett, Frank L. Williams, Jas. N. Holland, John T. Sholar, A. L. Dosher, Norwood Orrell.

Pender county—H. M. Page, Mike Costin and W. E. Rivenbark.

Sampson county—W. Frank Rackley and W. H. Colwell.

GETTING RICH IN NAVY.

Good Chance to Make Money, Says Government, by Joining the Navy.

There are other advantages to being an American tar besides having a wife in every port, if the conversation to be picked up around a navy recruiting station is to be believed. As portrayed by government literature on the subject, the average young American can accumulate a fortune of some $30,000 in 30 years' time and then retire with a pension of $104 a month.

Chief Machinist Mate C. C. Jones, of the U. S. Navy, now stationed at Raleigh, will establish a temporary recruiting station in Wilmington at the Imperial Hotel on Thursday and Friday of this week. Those wishing to enlist or to secure secure information of any kind about the navy are invited to call.

A young man enlisting at the age of 18 as an apprentice seaman will be paid $17.60 a month, says the government bulletin, during the six months spent at training station and receive an increase to $20.90 a moth when he boards a ship. By the end of his first enlistment, under ordinary course of advancement, he should be receiving $33 a month, and meanwhile he is outfitted with clothes and all necessities. If he re-enlists within four months after the expiration of his first enlistment, he will receive a $7 monthly increase in pay, and a bonus of four months' pay in addition. If by the end of his second enlistment he should have received a good-conduct medal, (which adds 83 cents a month to his pay), he should be receiving $55 a month. After 12 years he should have reached chief petty officer's pay with a salary of $99.82 a month, and thereafter his pay is increased with each enlistment. Good conduct and other medals for meritorious services also add to his pay. Under ordinary courses, according to the figures furnished by the Navy Department, a sailor usually saves one-half of his pay, which is deposited in the ship's bank, receiving 4 per cent interest. Thus, beginning at the lowest level in the Navy and reaching the highest point in the service as an enlisted man, after the end of 12 years and continuing in this capacity for 16 years, the average sailor retires after 30 years of service with a pension of $104 a month besides having the sum of $28,000 or more in addition.

Whenever You Need a General Tonic, Take Grove's

The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic is equally valuable as a Genera. Tonic because t contain. the well known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. 50c.

National, State and Judicial Tickets Vote in Election

PRECINCTS.	Wilson, For President.	*Hughes, For President.	Bickett, For Governor.	*Linney, For Governor.	Godwin, For Congress.	*McCaskill, For Congress.	Stacy For Judge.	*Meares, For Judge.	Kerr, For Judge.	*Snipes, For Judge.
First Ward	256	70	291	34	274	33	273	33		
Second Ward	506	71	544	26	504	37				
Third Ward	332	64	358	24	327	32				
Fourth Ward	253	35	272	15	261	20	271	15	270	15
Fifth Ward—1st precinct	259	76	266	63	268	63				
Fifth Ward—2nd Precinct	165	38	169	19	172	19				
Sixth Ward	235	55	249	37	242	31				
Seven-Mile Post	42	2	44	2	44	0				
Masonboro	66	12	71	5	70	6				
Federal Point	25	4	30	0	29	0				
Winter Park	87	27	93	14	92	19				
Sea Gate	52	23	56	4	63	4				
Cape Fear Township	82	16	94	3	94	0				
Total	2260	493	2537	245	2450	264				

* Republican.

For the Ladies :

Who are Customers of this bank we provide every comfort and convenience for the transaction of their business, and they are assured of prompt and courteous attention in our Special Ladies' Department, where New Currency is Always Provided for Them.

We especially Invite the Ladies to make use of this department, where numbers of lady customers are served daily.

"OLD AND STRONG"

THE PEOPLES SAVINGS BANK

COR. FRONT AND PRINCESS STS.

A $1,000 STREET CAR RIDE

An administrator, carrying $1,000 belonging to an estate, boarded a crowded street car in the city of Savannah. When he alighted from the car the money was gone. (Tarver vs. Torrence, 7 S. E., 177). The jury concluded that the administrator was guilty of gross negligence.

Are you going to expose your funds to possible loss through careless handling—or will you place your estate for safe, intelligent management in the hands of the Wilmington Savings & Trust Company? Personal property is secure in our modern fire and thief-proof vaults. Other property will receive the careful and expert attention of our organization of trained trust company specialists. Our officers will gladly aid you in your banking or trust problems. Let us explain—by letter or interview.

Resources $3,000,000.

The Wilmington Savings & Trust Company

110 Princess Street

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PYTHIANS MAKE ARRANGEMENTS

Plan For Trip to Mount Olive and For Banquet.

Clarendon Lodge, No. 2, Knights of Pythias made arrangements at their regular business meeting last night for the trip of the degree team to Mt. Olive where they will administer degrees. All third rank members are particularly requested to be in attendance. Preparations were also made for the banquet that will be given at The Colonial Apartments by the Clarendon Lodge, to all other lodges of the city.

AMOUNT SHOULD HAVE BEEN $500.

Error in Wilson Contribution by Wilmington Firm—Another

Through an unfortunate error in presenting the complete list of contributions to the Wilson Fund yesterday morning, the amount credited to Messrs Alexander Sprunt & Son was $5.00. Of course, $500.00 was intended as had been previously acknowledged in the day-to-day announcements as the contributions came in.

Another error was the failure to acknowledge a contribution of $1.00 from Mr. J. H. Thomas, the well known grocer, and also a contribution of $1.00 from Mr. H. B. Branch, secretary of mington Chamber of Commerce. It is acknowledged here and thanks returned in behalf of the committee.

No Other Store in Eastern Carolina Can Offer You the Great Values We Give. Buying for 16 Big Stores for Cash and Selling for Cash, Places Us in the Lead. If You Are a Visitor in Wilmington This Week, Come in and Let Us Show You.

LADIES COATS AND SUITS.
Smart Styles at Prices You Can Afford to Pay.

Ladies' and Misses' All Wool Whipcord Coat Suits; Black, Navy and Brown, Fur Trimmed at $12.50
Ladies' and Misses' Gaberdine and Poplin Suits; all the new models, at $15.97
Ladies' All Wool Mixed Coats; Beaver Trimmed, at $9.95
Misses' Sport Coats; $6.50 vales, at $4.98
$18.00 White Chinchilla Coats, at $12.50

BELK'S BETTER BLOUSES
Beckon Best Buyers.

Ladies' Self Stripe White Voile Waists; 75c values, at 50c
Beautiful Organdy and Voile Waists, in all the very newest styles, at 98c
$2.50 Organdy and Voile Waists, at $1.98
$2.50 Tub Silk Waists, all colors, at $1.98
$3.50 Crepe de Chine and Lace Waists, at $2.98

BELK'S BETTER BABY COATS

Infants' White Bedford Cord Coats; long or short, at ..... 98c and $1.48
Infants' White Cashmere Coats; long or short, at ..... $1.98 to $3.95
Infants' Short White Corduroy Coats, at $2.50
Children's Coats; all the desirable shades ..... $1.48 to $7.50

OUTING GOWNS

Ladies' Full Size Flannelette Gowns; all colors; medium weight, at 50c
Ladies' Heavy Quality Flannelette Gowns; White or Colored, at 85c
Ladies' Extra Size Flannelette Gowns; White or Colored, at 98c
Children's Flannelette Gowns, at 50c

STAMPED LINENS
For Your Christmas Holiday Gifts.

Center Pieces, 22, 25 and 36 in., at 50, 65 and $1.25
Linen Scarfs to match above, at 98c
Ladies' Stamped Gowns, on Sheer Nainsook, at 50c
Stamped Huck and Linen Towels, ... 20c to 40c
Royal Society Package Outfits ..... 25c to $1.25

SWEATERS, CAPS, BOOTEES, ETC.

Children's All Wool Sweaters; Copenhagen, Rose and Scarlet, at 98c
Misses' All Wool Sweaters; Scarlet and Tan, $1.48
Infants' Wool Toques; all colors, at 25c
Children's Wool Caps; all colors, at ..... 25c and 48c
Infants' Wool Bootees, ... 15, 25 and 20c

EXPERT FITTING
In Our Corset Shop.

Every woman should realize the Supreme importance of having her Corset correctly fitted. The benefits are numerous, and we have here an expert fitter whose services are yours for the asking. Come in while here and consult her.

LADIES' KNIT UNDERWEARS.

Ladies' Fine Ribbed good quality Shirts and Drawers, at 48c
Ladies' Fine Ribbed light weight Union Suits; all sizes, at 48c
Ladies' Velastic Ribbed Union Suits; all sizes, at 98c
Ladies Forrest Mills Union Suits ..... $1.98 to $2.95
Ladies' Forrest Mills Shirts and Drawers 98c to $1.50

BELK - WILLIAMS CO.

SOCIAL

Mrs. A. F. Williams of Kenansville, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. N Elliott, No. 505 Ann street.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Pearce, who spent several months visiting in the West and North, has returned home.

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Miss Gladys King McDonald of Chadbourn, is spending sometime with Mrs. J. J. Anderson, No. 723 Chestnut street.

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Miss Lillie Currie, of Burgaw, is visiting relatives and friends in Wilmington and attending the Corn Show this week.

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Miss Elizabeth Sheehan, who spent the week end in the city with her parents, has returned to school in Salisbury.

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Misses Mattie and Minnie Smith have returned to their home in Atkinson after visiting relatives in the city for several days.

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Mrs. D. H. Jones left yesterday for Whitakers, where she will visit for a few days before going to her new home in Fayetteville.

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There will be a meeting of the Hospital Circle of the King's Daughters and Sons at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning at No. 121 South Fifth street.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Dickinson and little son, Calvin, who have been visiting relatives at their old home at Beaufort, N. C., has returned home.

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Mrs. A. D. Sellers left yesterday morning for Goldsboro, with her little neice, Miss Alice Howell, and her two little nephews Lawrence and J. V. Howell. The children will be placed in the orphanage.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Bornemann will go to Goldsboro this morning to attend the marriage of Miss Emma Thompson and Mr. David Farror, which will take place tonight.

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Rev. C. W. Kagley, of Chicago, accompanied by his wife and child, arrived in the city yesterday and are visiting at the home of Mrs. Kagley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Koch, No. 808 North Fifth street. Mr. Kagley was for sir years pastor of St. Matthew's Lutheran church of this city. He is now engaged in mission work in Chicago.

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The Play-to-a-Purpose primary class will give a demonstration at the Corn Show this morning at 9:30 o'clock. Misses Atha Hicks and Marie Plowden and Madame Hatchell will show how these children from three to six years of age are taught reading, arithmetic, typewriting, conversational French, music, drawing and other things.

LOCAL DOTS.

—Veteçans of the Cape Fear Camp, U. C. V., will form at the W. L. I. armory at 9:30 o'clock this morning to take part in the Corn Show parade.

—Rev. Andrew J. Howell, pastor of the Winter Park Presbyterian church, has returned to the city after spending two weeks in Salisbury and Winston-Salem.

—The members of the W. L. I. are planning to take part in the inaugural ceremonies in Washington on the 4th of next March. It is uderstood that they will go regardless of whether Wilson or Hughes is elected.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Col. W. B. Fort, of Pikeville, who had been visiting in the city, returned home yesterday in order that he might vote.

—Mrs. S. C. Potts, of Whiteville, and Mrs. R. E. L. Brown, of Chadbourn, are spending a few days with Mrs. J. A. Farley, 307 North Fifth Avenue.

—Among the arrivals at the Hotel Wilmington yesterday were R. M. Parrot, W. H. Whitlock, Raleigh; G. P. Rawley, Asheville; H. C. Farmer, Wilson; O. C. Blanchard, Wallace; T. H. Pegram, Fayetteville.

—Iredell Meares, Esq., who spent the past three weeks in West Virginia campaigning in the interest of the Republican ticket, returned home yesterday. He made addresses in Huntington, Marsinville and numerous other towns and cities in that state, delivering 18 addresses in all.

—Among the arrivals at the Orton yesterday were Thomas B. Pace, Maxton; A. O. Russell, Rose Hill; C. T. Hussey, Charlotte; J. F. Tipton, Goldsboro; A. T. Teachey, R. L. Teachey, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Williams, Clinton; H. G. Connor, Wilson; H. D. McMillan, B. F. Fussel, Teachey; A. J. Barbour, Greensboro; E. F. Elwell, Raleigh; J. W. Tomlinson, Fayetteville.

Spanish Steamer Arrives.

The Spanish steamer Marte, Captain Urgelles master, arrived in port yesterday from Huelva, Spain, with a cargo of pyrites for the Swift Fertilizer Works. The vessel comes to Henry Whyte, agent. A part of the cargo will have to be lightered in order that the vessel may be able to pass under the bridge across the Northwest river.

Q-BAN REVIVES COLOR GLANDS

Darkens Gray Hair Naturally.

Q-Ban Hair Color Restorer is no dye, scalp healthy and restoring the color but acts on the roots, making hair and glands of the hair. So if your hair is gray, faded, bleached, prematurely gray, brittle or falling, apply Q-Ban Hair Color Restorer (as directed on bottle) to hair and scalp. In a short time all your gray hair will be restored to an even, delicate, dark shade, and entire head of hair will become soft, fluffy, long, thick and of such an even, beautiful dark color no one could tell you had applied Q-Ban. Also stops dandruff and falling hair, leaving your hair fascinating and abundant, without even a trace of gray. Sold on a money-back guarantee. 50 cents for a big bottle, at Green's Drug Store, Wilmington, N. C. Out-of-town folks supplied by mail.

PRESIDENT OF Y. M. C. A

Mr. H. Lacy Hunt Elected as Head of Local Institution to Succeed Judge W. P. Stacy.

Mr. H. Lacy Hunt, a well known and popular young business man of this city, was elected as president of the Young Men's Christian Association to succeed Judge W. P. Stacy at the regular monthly meeting of the board of directors last night.

Judge Stacy was elected president of the local institution prior to his election to the Superior Court bench. Owing to his duties keeping him out of the city for a large part of his time it was not possible for him to devote much time to this work. The board of directors while regretting that Judge Stacy was unable to continue as president of the association, feel that they have been fortunate in securing the services of Mr. Hunt.

The new president of the association has been for a number of years connected with the wholesale firm of McNair & Pearsall in this city. He has been very successful in business and is a public spirited citizen who has long been active as a member of the Chamber of Commerce and other organizations in the city.

Mr. A. B. Croom, Jr., presided at the meeting of the directors last night. A number of routine matters were taken up.

NEW OFFICERS ELECTED

City & Suburban Building Association Holds Annual Meeting

The chief feature of the annual meeting of the City & Suburban Building Association held yesterday at noon in the office of the secretary-treasurer, Mr. W. A. McGirt, was the election of new officers and directors for the ensuing term.

Secretary McGirt's report of operations during the year showed that the Association was in excellent financial condition and its activities had been considerably extended during that period. The stockholders were very much gratified at the showing made.

Following are the officers elected by the directors: Milton Calder, president; J. W. Brooks, vice president; W. A. McGirt, secretary and treasurer; Henry Heyer, Esq., attorney.

Directors for the coming year were elected as follows. Messrs. John C. Heyer, A. O. Schuster, L. Hanson, W. A. McGirt, Milton Calder, Henry Heyer, Martin Schnibben, Clayton Giles, Sr., George Hutaff, F. Rulfs, W. I. Baxter, J. W. Brooks, E. A. Palmgren, A. M. Chinnis, W. S. Clayton.

$7,000 PROPERTY IS SOLD

Deal Closed To Clear Up Title in Bridgers Estate Case

In accordance the a court decree in a certain action heard at the October term of Superior Court, entitled Emily Bridgers and other heirs of Mary Bridgers, deceased, against the Christian Science Society and First Church of Christ Scientists of Wilmington, being an action to clear title to the Mary Bridgers estate by a consent judgment, Burk Bridgers, Esq., as commissioner, has executed a deed to two tracts of land adjoining the Church site at 17th and Market streets to Janet Weil Bluethenthal for the sum of $7,312.50.

MANY BEAUTIFUL FLOWERS.

Mr. Will Rehder, the Florist, Raises Thousand of Chrysanthemums.

The interest of the members of The Star staff last night was divided between the election returns and a large and beautiful bouquet of chrysanthemums which came from the greenhouses of Mr. Will Rehder, the florist, at Ninth and Red Cross streets. These flowers measure several inches in diameter and are of different colors including the yellow, white and pink varieties.

Mr. Rehder is showing some of these beautiful flowers in one of the show windows of the Bon Marche and also has a large collection at the Corn Show.

HANSON AND ROSS TONIGHT

Clever Swede Will Appear at Columbia, S. C., In Return Match.

Wilmington wrestling fans will turn their eyes toward Columbia tomorrow night where Fritz Hanson will celebrate his return to the land of cotton by tackling Jack Ross in a return battle. Ross and Hanson met at the Columbia Theatre on the night of Labor Day, and Ross won by default, when Hanson injured his shoulder. Fritz has been itching for another w/ at the Ross and expects to carry away the palm.

SLEEPING IN QUEER PLACES.

Englishman Chose Narrow Plank 120 Feet Above Ground.

(Answers, London.)

A short time ago a man was discovered in his lunch hour fast asleep on a plank. His arms were hanging down, one on each side of the board, which was about a foot wide. He was snoring gloriously, and quite careless of the fact that if he turned over for greater comfort he would "tumble out of bed" 120 feet, for that palnk was part of a scaffolding erected for the repair of a church spire.

A similar disregard for danger was reported lately during the erection of an electric plant. One of the men engaged on the tall chimney, missing his mate at the lunch hour, went up the half-finished chimney to find him. He discovered him fast asleep on a narrow ledge of brick inside the shaft, a fall from which meant a drop of 80 feet.

The other week a circus arrived in a certain town, not 100 miles from London, at an early hour after a long journey and a performance the previous night. As a consequence, few of the company got any sleep. That day there was the usual procession and the afternoon performance. The lion tamer had had a very rough time because of the illness of one of his beasts.

The evening performance arrived, and the man had to pretend to go to sleep with his head on the body of a couchant lion, finishing up the performance by springing up and putting his head in another lion's mouth.

But when the jumping up time came a gentle snore was heard. The man was fast asleep with his head pillowed on a lion.

Washington, Nov. 7.—Losses aggregating $212,000,000 through diseases or animals is sustained in the United States yearly. Much of that loss is preventable, Department of Agriculture experts declare.

OPPORTUNITIES IN MUSCADINES

Government at Corn Show in Charge of Agricultural Booth Featuring Muscadine Products.

One of the most interesting exhibits at the Corn Show is the display of muscadine products, under the direction of Mr. Charles Dearing, of the United States Department of Agriculture. This exhibit is from the government test farm at Willard, and is brought to Wilmington through special permission of the Department of Agriculture at the request of the Corn Show committee.

Extensive experiments have been made at Willard during the past year in the culture of the muscadine. It is the intention of the department to endeavor to cross the California grape with the muscadine in such a way as to mingle the sweetness of the former with the hardiness of the latter.

Among the numerous samples of muscadine products that are on exhibition at the booth are grape juice, muscadine punch, jam, jelly, preserves, etc. The department desires to impress on the people the culinary qualities of this grape, and make them realize that there is great opportunity in this commodity to make use of grounds that are now lying idle.

Much of the credit for bringing this exhibit here is due Mr. J. P. Herring, the farm demonstrator for New Hanover, for his tireless efforts in this direction.

TO HOLD REVIVAL SERVICES

Neighborhood Prayer Meetings Inaugurated by First Baptist Church

Prayer meetings under the auspices of the First Baptist Church were inaugurated last night in eleven different homes in preparation for the revival services which will be held at the church beginning next Sunday. These meetings will continue through the week and will be led by members of the church.

Members of the church and others interested living in the sections in which the meetings are scheduled from time to time, are requested by the pastor to gather at these centers and counsel and pray for the success of the approaching meetings.

The meetings last night ,all of which were well-attended ,were held at the following homes: Mr. H. C. Marshall, No. 215 Ann street; Rev. Dr. John Jeter Hurt, No. 405 Dock street; Mr. Robert H. Brady, No. 408 Church street; William Struthers, No. 1,012 Market street; Mrs. S. W. Sanders, No. 411 North Third street; Mr. Daniel H. Penton, No. 220 N. Third street; Mr. N. M. McEachern, No. 214 North Sixth street; Mr. C. B. Newcomb, No. 1,915 Perry avenue; Mrs. S. J. Davis, No. 3 Wrightsville avenue.

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By order of the W. M.

JNO. F. CLOWE, Secretary.

WILL HAVE FORMAL OPENING OF LOCAL BRANCH THURSDAY

New Home of Swift & Company On Nutt Street Modern and Up-To-Date

Invitations have been sent out by Mr. G. W. Chandler, the local manager of Swift & Company, for the formal opening of their new home at Nos. 307-309-311 Nutt street tomorrow. Open house will be observed all day and the general public is cordially invited by Manager Chandler to inspect the new plant.

This new brick building was recently completed and is two stories in height with a basement and is modern and up-to-date in every respect with the very latest in the way of equipment. The new building with equipment cost over $50,000 and while not the largest of its kind in the South is as good as can be found in the country. The building was erected by Mr. A. D. O'Brien, contractor of this city.

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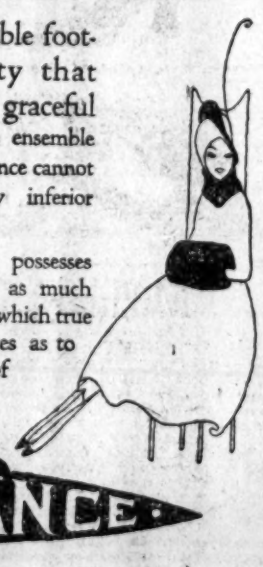

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HOMES PROVIDED FOR DELEGATES TO SYNOD

Nearly Two Hundred Expected to Arrive Today and Tomorrow.

Fifteenth Biennial Convention of United Synod of the Lutheran Church in the South to Convene at St. Paul's.

Nearly 200 delegates to the 15th biennial convention of the United Synod of the Lutheran church in the South, which will meet in St. Paul's Lutheran church tomorrow morning at 10:15 o'clock, are expected to arrive in Wilmington today and tonight. They will be entertained in the homes of the Lutherans who have made arrangements for their entertainment.

The delegates and visitors will be met at the union station by members of the reception committee with automobiles and will be taken to the homes where they are to stay.

The territory embraced by the United Synod covers all the southeastern states. The representation is kept small so as to make a body that can better transact the large amount of business coming before it.

Following is given a list of the delegates who have so far reported that they expected to attend, and the names of their hosts, the latter appearing first and their guests following:

Mr. E. Ahrens—Dr. G. B. Cromer.
J. E. Cooper, at Orton House.
Mr. Armstrong—Rev. J. H. Horine, D. D.
H. E. Bonitz—Rev. M. M. Kinard, D. D., Rev. J. L. Morgan.
John Brunjes—Mrs. D. B. Groseclose, Mrs. E. E. Boehme.
E. Fred Banck—Rev. W. H. Riser, Mr. A. P. Snider (Orton.)
R. L. Burton—J. A. Bowers, O. V. Hefner.
B. C. Bellois—Rev. J. B. Greiner and Rev. C. L. Brown, D. D.
Mrs. W. J. Bonitz—Mrs. H. E Bringman.
Miss Ulrich—Mrs. K. Cronenberg.
J. H. Bornemann—Rev. and Mrs. C. F. Hoppe, Rev. W. L. Hunton, Ph.D., and Rev. C. K. Hunton.
C. Bornemann—J. C. Bringman and Mrs. H. E. Bringman.
Rev. F. B. Clausen—Rev. W. M. Horn, Rev. J. H. Harms, D. D., and Mr. and Mrs. W. Huffman.
Dr. T. F. Costner—Miss W. Rook and Miss Ada Miller.
W. S. Clayton—Miss Mary Cline.
H. Duls—Miss Lillian Miller and Miss Cora May.
Dr. J. H. Dreher—Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Hanna, J. M. Heilig and A. H. Snider.
L. Freimuth—Rev. J. F. Crigler and E. Waltman.
Mrs. P. Fick—Rev. M. A. Ashby and Rev. W. L. Darr.
F. K. Fuchs—Rev. W. H. Little.
J. W. H. Fuchs—Rev. C. A. Brown and Rev. B. S. Brown.
J. H. Gerdes—Mrs. C. R. Pless and Miss Etta Setzer.
Mrs. Glameyer and Mrs. Runge—Rev. G. J. Congaware, D. D. and Rev. F. P. Manhart, D. D.
Mrs. W. Godwin—Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Epting.
G. W. Hutaff—H. L. Bonham and E. F. Irick.
W. Hutaff—Rev. J. J. Scherer, Jr., J. J. Umlauf.
G. Henry Haar—Rev. C. Brown Cox and Prof. T. G. Rydingsvard.
G. Heyer—Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Dreeson.
L. Hanson—Rev. M. G. G. Scherer, D. D., Rev. W. C. Davis and Rev. J. H. C. Huitt.
John Haar—Rev. G. H. Lingle, Rev. B. D. Wessinger.
Jurgen Haar—W. L. Kinney.
F. E. Hashagen—Rev. W. C. Schaeffer, Jr., and Rev. J. L. Sieber.
J. Kuck—Rev. M. J. Epting, D. D., and Rev. E. A. Repass, Ph.D.
W. L. Konig—Rev. and Mrs. I. D. Worman.
W. F. Koch—W. P. Aberly.
J. G. Kuhlken—Rev. J. A. Cromer and Rev. W. A. Deaton, D. D.
C. P. B. Mahler—Prof. G. F. Meadlicter and Prof. J. T. Crabtree.
Rev. G. W. McClanahan—Rev. A. D. R. Hancher, Rev. W. H. Greever, D. D., and Mrs. R. C. Holland.
Mrs. J. R. Kelley—Rev. W. P. Cline, Sr., and Rev. W. P. Cline, Jr.
H. Ortman—H. Heidenreich and J. W. Jenny.
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J. H. Rehder—Rev. A. G. Voigt, D. D., Rev. G. S. Bowers, D. D., J. H. Marstellar and Kenneth Baker.
Mrs. M. Schulken—Rev. H. A. Kistler, and Rev. E. P. Monroe.
Will Rehder—J. R. Smith, A. H. Kohn.
E. P. H. Strunck—Rev. E. Fulenwider and Rev. E. Y. Boozer.
L. E. Sox—Rev. E. J. Sox.
F. Tiencken—Rev. and Mrs. M. O. J. Kreps.
M. G. Tiencken and W. Cronenberg—Rev. and Mrs. C. A. Freed and Rev. J. A. Huffard.
Dr. J. C. Wessel—Dr. A. B. Breiner.
A. D. Wessell—Rev. and Mrs. E. A. Copenhaver.
H. L. Vollers—Rev. R. L. Patterson, D. D., Rev. S. T. Hallman, D. D., Miss Annette Kaehler and Miss Lottie Wyse.
Martin von Oesen—Rev. and Mrs. T. B. Epting.
Mrs. A. Warren—Mrs. R. A. Yoder and Mrs. Grace Wyse.
G. G. Merner—Rev. W. J. Finck, D. D., and Rev. D. I. Offman.
Mrs. B. Zoeller—Rev. L. L. Lohr, D. D., and Rev. W. F. Shealy.
W. C. Yarborough—Dr. C. O. Miller and W. T. Stauffer.

The following will be provided for from funds contributed for the purpose: Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Rose, Rev. A. R. Beck, F. Conrad, Rev. and Mrs. E. C. Cronk and son, R. C. Counts, J. A. Cline, Miss C. Efird, Rev. R. L. Fritz, D. D., W. Huffman, Rev. and Mrs. E. H. Kohn, R. G. Keiner, Mrs. J. L. Keyser, E. M. Minnick, G. B. Morehead, Mrs. J. D. Mauney, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Rhodes, H. L. Snyder, W. K. Shealy, Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Smith, M. F. P. Troutman, M. C. Wagner.

TOTAL CONTRIBUTIONS FOR WILSON FUND

North Carolina Had Sent in $37,644 Up Until Monday.

Mr. Hugh MacRae, Treasurer for State Fund, Makes Report—Winston-Salem Leads With Wilmington Second.

Mr. Hugh MacRae, secretary-treasurer of the North Carolina Finance Committee for the Wilson Campaign fund, yesterday issued his report of the contributions received by him from the different towns and cities of the State, showing that a total of $37,644.37 had been received up until Monday. Winston-Salem continued to lead with a total of $11,985, while Wilmington was second with a total of $4,199.25. Since the report was made Monday, Wilmington had raised her contribution to $5,000 with a small balance to spare.

Greensboro continues to be in third place with a total of $2,413.50, while Raleigh is fourth with $2,259.92. Charlotte occupies fifth place with a total of $1,365, which does not include $1,100 contributed through the Charlotte Observer.

The total contributions reported by the different cities, towns and counties in the State are as follows:

Forsyth county—Winston-Salem $11,985.
New Hanover county—Wilmington, $4,199.25.
Guilford county—Greensboro, $2,413.50; High Point, $30.50; Oak Ridge, $1.00.
Wake county—Raleigh, $2,259.92; Wake Forest, $25.00; Cary $2.00.
Mecklenburg county—Charlotte, $1,365; Matthews, $16.75.
Durham county—Durham, $865.00.
Iredell county—Statesville, $834.00.
Robeson county—Lumberton, $512.50; Maxton, $67.00; Rowland, $105.00; St. Pauls, $26.00; Tolarsville, $2.00; Red Springs, $91.75.
Cumberland county— Fayetteville, $779.00; Hope Mills, $7.00.
Wilson county—Wilson, $597.75; Elm City, $6.00; Lucama, $8.00.
Wayne county—Mt. Olive, $111; Fremont, $39.50; Goldsboro, $345.50; Pikeville, $10.00; Seven Springs, $2.50.
Macon county—Franklin, $500.00.
Nash county—Rocky Mount, $358.75; Nashville, $110.25; Spring Hope, $20.00.
Craven county—. . ew Bern, $436.00.
Randolph county—Asheboro, $400.00; Ramseur, $6.00; Randleman, $15.00; Seagrove, $8.00.
Rowan county—Salisbury, $361.00; Spencer, $25.25; China Grove, $5.00; Rockwell, $2.00.
Anson county—Wadesboro, $316.00; Polkton, $5.00.
Buncombe county—Asheville, $265.00; Swannanoa, $45.00.
Beaufort county—Washington $289.50; Belhaven, $18.00.
Union county—Monroe, $277.00; Waxhaw, $25.00.
Franklin county—Louisburg, $163.00; Franklinton, $120.50; Bunn, $8.00; Mapleville, $2.00.
Surry county—Mount Airy, $227.50; Elkin, $45.00.
Richmond county—Hamlet, $149.50; Rockingham, $110.50.
Edgecombe county—Tarboro, $234.75; Battleboro, $3.50.
Lenoir county—Kinston, $160.00; LaGrange, $52.00; Falling Creek, $25.00.
Gaston county—Gastonia, $224.50.
Johnston county—Smithfield, $94.00; Selma, $59.50; Clayton, $15.00; Benson, $50.00; Pine Level, $6.00.
Orange county—Chapel Hill, $157.00; Hillsboro, $56.00.
Halifax county—Enfield, $125.50; Littleton, $36.00; Scotland Neck, $36.25; Thelma, $10.00.
Moore county—Carthage, $67.50; Southern Pines, $22.00; Aberdeen, $44.50; Pinehurst, $50.00; Cameron, $14.50.
Pitt county—Greenville, $120.50; Farmville, $63.00.
Duplin county—Warsaw, $73.00; Falson, $54.25; Wallace, $31.00; Rose Hill, $10.00.
Davidson county—Lexington, $146.00; Thomasville, $20.00.
Vance county—Henderson, $160.00.
Pasquotank county—Elizabeth City, $158.50.
Catawba county—Hickory, $90.00; Newton, $66.00.
Warren county—Warrenton, $53.00; Norlina, $100.00.
Haywood county—Canton, $76.75; Waynesville, $75.00.
Rockingham county—Reidsville, $103; Spray, $30.00.
Sampson county—Clinton, $117.00; Ivanhoe, $5.00; Parkersburg, $1.00.
Hoke county—Raeford, $121.00.
Lee county—Sanford, $111.50; Jonesboro, $17.25.
Scotland county—Laurinburg, $98.00; Gibson, $11.00.
Caldwell county—Lenoir, $105.00.
Columbus county—Acme, $50.00; Chadbourn, $10.00; Whiteville, $37.50; Vineland, $5.00.
Cleveland county—Shelby, $100.75.
Pender county—Burgaw, $70.75; Atkinson, $3.50; Rocky Point, $16.75; Point Caswell, $2.00.
Bertie county—Windsor, $15.50; Aulander, $40.00; Roxobel, $36.50.
Harnett county—Lillington, $21.00; Dunn, $36.50; Duke, $25.00.
Perquimans county—Hertford, $77.00.
Chowan county—Edenton, $70.00.
Onslow county—Jacksonville, $53.75; Hubert, $10.00.
Madison county—Hot Springs, $19.00; Marshall, $48.50.
Bladen county—Clarkton $30.50; Elizabethtown, $17.00; Councils, $14.00; White Oak, $1.00; Ruskin, $1.00; Abbottsburg, $2.00.
Granville county—Oxford, $65.00.
Burke county—Morganton, $60.50.
Davie county—Mocksville, $60.00.
Rutherford county—Rutherfordton, $60.00.
Stanly county—Norwood, $37.50; Richfield, $20.00; New London, $2.50.
Chatham county—Pittsboro, $31.00; Siler City, $25.00.
Carteret county—Beaufort, $20.00; Morehead City, $35.00.
Polk county—Saluda, $54.00.
Wilkes county—Wilkesboro, $30.00; North Wilkesboro, $20.00; Moxley, $1.00.
Northampton county—Jackson, $45; Garysburg, $1.00.
Montgomery county—Mt. Gilead, $15; Troy, $20.00; Ether, $5.00.
Lincoln county—Lincolnton, $37.00.
Brunswick county—Southport, $34.00; Leland, $1.00.
Martin county—Williamston, $35.00.
Alexander county—Taylorsville, $25.
Cabarrus county—Concord, $25.00.
Graham county—Robbinsville, $25.00.
Caswell county—Yanceyville, $19.50; Prospect Hill, $5.00.
McDowell county—Marion $20.00; Old Fort, $3.00.
Transylvania county—Brevard, $20.
Yadkin county—Benbow, $20.00.
Person county—Roxboro, $16.00.
Alamance county—Burlington, $15.00.
Dare county—Manteo, $10.00.
Greene county—Waltonsburg, $10.00.
Swain county—Bryson City, $10.00.
Cherokee county—Murphy, $5.00.
Hertford county—Harrelsville, $2.00.
Miscellaneous—Remitted through the Charlotte Observer, $1,147.95.
From North Carolinians residing outside of the State, $240.00.
Total—$37,644.37.

A BABY'S CHANCE TO LIVE.

The Country-Born Youngster Has Decided Advantage of City Cousin.
(Brooklyn Eagle.)

What chance of life has your baby? How long may you hope to live? Ask Uncle Sam.

If fair-haired little Elizabeth, who laughs merrily as she makes brave efforts to walk upon her sturdy 10 month old legs, reaches her first birthday without mishap—provided she is a city baby—she may hope to live to be more than 57 years old.

But if Elizabeth's parents join that forlorn army of bereaved fathers and mothers, they may know that their baby's fate is that of four or five other tots per 1,000 of the same age in the city.

If Henry's parents live in a "rural" community, he may expect to live longer than if he were a city boy. For if he reaches his second birthday he may hope to live to be approximately 62 years old, while but about 20 country boys per 1,000 die between their first and second years.

Elizabeth's cousin Sarah, provided she is the same age, but lives in the country, may hope to live to be 62 years old,if she reaches 1 year old, while the chances of her not reaching her first birthday are less than 3 per 1,000.

But Henry's city cousin, Richard, of the same age, can hope to live on an average of but 54 years, if he lives to be 2, while the chances of his not reaching his second birthday are 32 per 1,000. That is a fair example of what Uncle Sam might tell you.

This is a simple statement of facts, based upon carefully gathered statistics, scientifically computed under the supervision of one of the foremost experts on the subject in the United States.

CLAUDE KITCHIN RE-ELECTED BY EIGHT TO TEN THOUSAND.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Kinston, N. C., Nov. 7.—Unofficial returns indicate the re-election of Majority Leader Claude Kitchin over W. O. Dixon, Republican, of Greene county, by a majority of eight to ten thousand. E. B. Lewis, private secretary to Kitchin, claims 9,000.

Swift & Company
Invite the Public
to attend the opening of their
Branch House
307-309-311 Nutt Street
Wilmington, No. Carolina
Thursday, November 9th
(Between the Hours of 9 A. M. and 10 P. M.)

The new building, is especially planned to facilitate the sanitary handling of perishable food products.

You will be interested in seeing how Swift & Company handle fresh meats, provisions, sausage, oleomargarine, poultry and produce in Wilmington, and in seeing the attractive display of these and other packing house products.

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Swift & Company

Rail Road Fare Refunded
During Corn Show Week

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Coat Suits for Stout Ladies. We have a good assortment of sizes. Sizes, 39 to 45; real tailored models, with stylish trimmings.

Coat Suits; sizes from 14 to 42; in Broadcloth, Serge and Poplin; in all the leading shades, at Real Bargains.

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Boys' Shoes; real durable solid leather Shoes; heavy and medium weights; prices from . . . . . **$1.50 to $3.50**

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EAST CAROLINA FAIR AT NEW BERN OPENED

City on the Neuse is All Ready for the Shriners.

Jones County Planter Kills Negro Who Threatens to Shoot Him—The Basnights "in Bad."—Circus Following Crooks Active.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

New Bern, N. C., Nov. 7.—The fourth great Eastern Carolina fair began this morning and there is every indication that the event is going to prove a greater success than any of the previous events and, in fact, the officials are predicting a record breaking attendance.

The fair this year is bigger and better than has ever before been the case. The citizens of New Bern, Craven county and several of the adjoining counties have worked hard to make this fair a complete success in every way and they have prepared an exhibit that is indeed very creditable.

The fair will be in progress through Friday, coming to a close that night and it is believed that when the gates have been shut for the last time that the attendance and interest will have surpassed any registered since the fair came to life.

All Ready for Shriners.

Local Shriners are all in readiness for the hundreds of Shriners who are coming to New Bern from all parts of North Carolina and Virginia on November 22 to attend the institution of Sudan Temple and they are now awaiting the big day with a great deal of anticipation.

In addition to the local Shriners who will participate in the exercises, it is estimated that there will be at least 1,000 visiting brethren. The majority of these will come to the city on Pullman cars and these will be parked at the union passenger station and will be used as sleeping quarters by them.

The city is going to be appropriately decorated for the occasion. Much of the decorative material put up for the East Carolina Fair will be allowed to remain and, in addition to this, an expert decorator is to come here and dress the city up in true Masonic style knent the "Big Day" and there will be a blaze of light and color to greet the Shriners when they arrive in the city.

Homicide in Jones.

"Stop where you are or I'll shoot you dead in your tracks," were the words spoken to Robert Henry Rose, a well known white planter of Jones county, as James Banks, colored, advanced on him cursing and with his hand in one of his pockets near Ravenwood station Sunday afternoon.

Banks, instead of stopping, came on all the faster and Ross began firing at him and when he had ceased, the negro lay dead at his feet with several bullets imbedded in vital parts of his body.

A coroner's jury was immediately empanelled and after investigating the case these exonerated Ross from all blame, declaring that, in their opinion, he was justified in shooting Banks.

Jesse Basnight, of postoffice fame, and his son, Don W., the former the chairman of the Craven county Republican Executive Committee and the latter the secretary, are today the two most unpopular men in Craven county and not only are the Democrats saying mean things about this pair but the Republicans are also "preaching their funeral."

The Basnights have been agitating trouble for months, in fact, Jesse has been out on the war path ever since the postoffice officials decided that he wasn't the man to have in charge of the New Bern postoffice and put Louis G. Daniels in his place.

That made the elder Basnight as hot as a setting hen that has just been scared off her nest and he has been ranting around ever since. A few days ago he and Don decided to challenge the voters who had not paid their poll taxes for one cause and another and this they did, challenging members of the fire companies who have been exempted, men past the age limit for paying poll taxes and even going so far as to challenge men who have been dead for years.

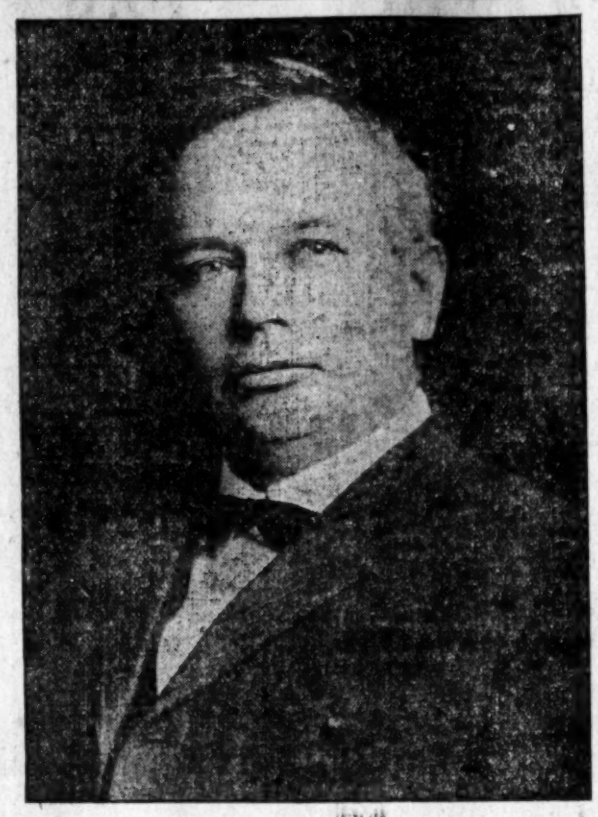
The challenges were tried and but a very few of them stood and the work of the Basnights counted for nothing further than to bring them into greater disrepute here in the county and in consequence they are madder now than ever before.

Tales of Woe.

The police are still hearing tales of woe from those chaps who were victims of a gang of crooks who followed John Robinson's circus to this city last Saturday and reaped a golden harvest among the thousands who were on hand to see the elephants and the other animals.

There were a score or more of men, local and visitors, who were "touched" for a considerable sum of ready cash. The chief of police succeeded in recovering some of this money but the majority of it left with the circus and today the victims have only a memory of the occasion instead of the cash which they should have had.

GOVERNOR-ELECT OF THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA.



Having been elected by the voters of North Carolina yesterday to serve the State as its chief executive for the next four years, Hon. T. W. Bickett will be inaugurated early in January next.

FOURTH ANNUAL CORN SHOW HAS AUSPICIOUS OPENING

(Continued from Page Five).

D. Williams' Farm, "The Maples." Here are found the results of careful husbandry in the form of corn, hay, and all manner of truck that is adaptable to the section.

Model Truck Farm.

Beginning at the agricultural exhibits, Section B, begins with the modern truck farm of Mr. B. B. Trask, neatly laid off in plots, and with real live plants, there to be seen and admired. Several placards proclaimed that these plants were grown with Navassa fertilizers.

In a row of attractive booths, the United Farm Women of Myrtle Grove Sound and Oak Hill, showed the results of their handiwork. The United States Test Farm of Willard also has an attractive exhibit in this section that emphasizes the quality of their grapes, by numerous samples of grape products, such as muscadine punch, jams, jellies and preserves.

The Community Service League of Masonboro has a nice array of needle and fancy work, shown in a fern banked booth. A number of devices to attract attention are used by the Queen City Cycle Company, chief of which is a dancing negro attacned to a Victrola, and a cage of guinea pigs.

Both the Bon Marche and the Belk Williams stores have a perfectly fitted miniature store on exhibition, and for the completeness of their appointment, are on a par, the only difference is that one is presided over by a demure blonde while a dashing brunette reigns in the other.

The Sterchi-Bancroft Furniture Company show all the latest wrinkles in household goods, and this booth should be particularly attractive to the newlyweds, and those who contemplate becoming such. J. H. Rehder & Co., also have a miniature store, featuring toys, and with a big Santa Claus crowning the booth.

Section C, shows some of the prettiest exhibits of the show. The log cabin effect of the Tidewater Power Company's booth containing all the latest designs in electrical utensils is unique and striking.

The Texas Oil Company has samples of their commodities arranged in neat piles and rows that make a handsome appearance in spite of the absence of artificial decorations. In this section are also found the latest models of Ford cars, along with Overlands. The Standard Cement Construction Co., features a new model septic sanitary tank, that is entirely an innovation in its style. Mr. G. A. P. Bowman is president of this company. The Coca-Cola exhibit at the foot of the row has all the famous slogans of their company together with numerous souvenirs, and advertising novelties.

The Shepard Chemical Company open the section designated as D, with a big booth that shows to those interested a full line of their products. The Country Store is a real bee hive of industry, and is not only giving a demonstration, but is doing a live little business as well.

Both W. D. MacMillan, Jr., and the Stearns-Knight Co., have model garages, with samples of their wares. The latter is banked with autumn leaves that makes a beautiful picture. The Pepsi-Cola people have some attractive displays, as has the agricultural periodical booth in charge of Mr. L. Tollin.

The Davis-Moore Paint Company show all that is best in their line while the Boys' Outing Club has a number of suggestions for boys who desire to be real out doorsmen. Their booth shows a miniature camp fire. Beautiful shrubbery marks the display of the Holland Nurseries, at the end of the section.

Busy Candy Makers.

Busy candy makers clad in the full regalia of the Netherlands, are the principal features of the Old Dutch Kandy Kitchen, (candy kitchen is correct now, so don't get misled and think that is old Dutch Cleanser). A view of the beautiful floral display of Miss Lucy B. Moore is like a glimpse of fairyland. The big chrysanthemums are some of the largest ever displayed in Wilmington.

The Marion Sprunt Mission Kindergarten of Delgado is housed in a cozy little retreat that shows all the things that they are doing for the kiddies of their section. The "Play-to-a-Purpose" display is also interesting. Spotless linen and all the accessories is the feature of the Wilmington Steam Laundry display.

The Columbus county schools have a neat arrangement of educational products in their booth while the Cape Fear Chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy show needle and fancy work and displays of Confederate flags. They will offer salted nuts for sale. All kinds of hardware heaters, stoves, etc., are shown in the Jacobi Hardware booth, along with paints and brasses.

A fine imitation of gas heaters is seen at the exhibit of the Carolina Metal Products Company. The booths of the Franklin Sugar Company, Baxter Tobacco Company, W. C. T. U. and Packing House, are all sightly.

With but few exceptions the last row, F, is devoted almost entirely to the schools of the city and county. The grammar schools have excellent exhibits of the work and enterprise of their students, while the Wilmington High School displays a slogan that proclaims "an acorn cannot grow into an oak tree in a flower pot, give us a new building."

A map of the South Atlantic seaboard, with a big ring drawn around Wilmington, and an incandescent burning in the center, labeled the "Gateway Port of the South," is the contribution of the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce.

Delgado Mills display the various products of their plant, as does the Swift Fertilizer Company. The latter will give souvenirs to all ladies tomorrow.

Agricultural Exhibits.

The agricultural exhibits are on an incline in the rear of the building and are fine. They are not all in place as yet, however. V. Di Lonardo has a pretty display of delicatessen in this section. The tents are as yet partially filled. The one on the west side contains exhibits of farming machinery, and a miniature camp representing Camp Kilamass.

The eastern wing is reserved for the livestock and is already occupied by a collection of chickens, turkeys, etc. One of the most interesting features of this section is the family of young rabbits, which lie huddled in a coop. Two goats, with venerable beards, and with their entire bodies showing the recent application of soap and water, are in evidence, along with some fine hogs.

Election returns were given in the main building last night and proved a great convenience for the partisans of Messrs. Wilson and Hughes.

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Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin can be obtained at any drug store for fifty cents, and should have a place in every home. It will save many times its cost in lessened doctor bills and maintain the health of the entire family. To avoid imitations and ineffective substitutes be sure to get Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. See that a facsimile of Dr. Caldwell's signature and his portrait appear on the yellow carton in which the bottle is packed. A trial bottle, free of charge, can be obtained by writing to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 455 Washington St., Monticello, Illinois.

A. & M. AND WAKE FOREST TO BATTLE SECOND TIME

West Raleigh, N. C. Nov. 7.—A & M. will battle Wake Forest for the second time this season on the 24th or 25th. Both teams have open dates, and this game will fill in the gap between the games which are to be played on the 18th and Thanksgiving Day.

A & M defeated Wake Forest on Riddick Field, for the accomodations there for the seating of the crowd are splendid and the games played in Raleigh are always a beter drawing card than at Wake Forest.

The Wake Forest scrubs will intertain the Techs cubs on their home lot Saturday of this week. In all probablilty A & M will give them a return game later in the season.

DR. T. W. O'KELLY AT GOLDSBORO

Preaches Sermon To Neuse-Atlantic Baptist Woman's Missionary Union

(Special Star Telegram)

Goldsboro, N. C., Nov. 7.—Tonight in the First Baptist church, Dr. T. W. O'Kelly, of the First Baptist church of Raleigh, delivered a powerful and interesting sermon to a large congregation composed also of members of the Woman's Missionary Union of the Neuse-Atlantic Association, now in session in this city. The closing session of the Union will be held Wednesday morning at 9:30 o'clock. Both business and social sessions have been very interesting and highly onjoyed.

NEW LIFE IN A. & M. SQUAD

West Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 7.—The departure of former coach Paterson has instilled new life in the Techs fotball squad. The tactics of the former Washington & Jefferson star failed to get the best results out of the material on hand. Every member of the squad was on hand for the Monday practice, and the spirit exhibited indicates that A. & M. will fight to a finish for the remainder of the season.

John Bray, a former Tech captain and star center will take charge and will be assisted by "Tal" Stafford and C. Hayden.

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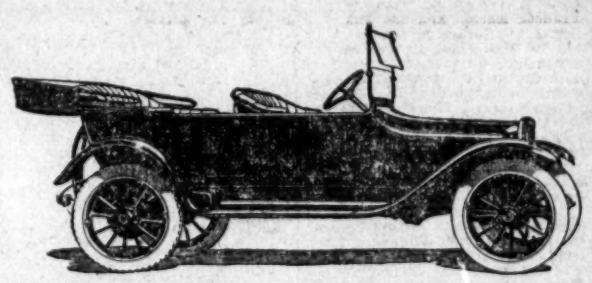

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THEATRICAL

Back in the village, outside the prison wall, the soldiers were drawn up to execute Prince Boris. But the people, seeing their beloved leader, rushed forward, overpowered the soldiers and released him from his bonds. Then there was a wild rush made on the young queen.

Prince Boris discovered his peasant girl companion to be none other than her Royal Highness, Queen Honore.

The story ended beautifully, when the Queen accepted Boris as her beloved King consort. They lived happily ever after.

So will you if you make it a point to go to the Grand Theatre today and see Alice Brady and an exceptionally strong cast in the intense feature play, "The Gilded Cage."

"The Gilded Cage" is a gripping, dynamic, intensely interesting drama. It has been called "the sweetest story ever told." In it the wonderful personality and great histrionic ability of Alice Brady has full swing and the result is a film that takes high mark. The story sweeps onward with a rush that carries the spectators off their feet. The scenario was written by Frances Marion and the film was directed by Harley Knoles.

New Show at Victoria

Today Fox Reilly's Famous Globe Trotters put on their second big bill of the week, and today and tomorrow will present an excellent version of that famous Broadway musical comedy success, "The Red Widow" enacted by this all-star aggregation of artists in a manner very near to the original play of that name which has created such a sensation.

"The Red Widow" is another great comedy show, and Ernest Linwood in the blackface role as the porter pulls some of the very best gags in his whole repertoire. In many moments Linwood alone, without uttering a single word, will keep the crowd in a constant uproar by his facial grimaces. Fox Reilly, as clerk at the hotel and Fred Kramer as Fritz Schultz enact suitable roles, the latter appearing in his best role, that of a Dutch comedian.

"The Red Widow" will feature those topliners who made a hit during the first of the week, and there will be all new numbers of the Empire Quartette, the best bunch of harmony singers ever appearing in Wilmington. There will be a dozen or more big musical and dancing acts on this bill, and Harold Paite the bass soloist will have a new bunch of songs to delight the crowds with.

"The Globe Trotters" is not only the biggest, but undeniably the best trained and most capable company that has yet appeared at the Victoria, and capacity crowds were again in evidence to prove this last night. Mr. Reilly states that today's bill is considered in many towns he has played, to be the very best of his three shows.

Big Offering at Bijou

Today the Bijou makes one of the very strongest and most appealing offerings of the entire week, presenting as a headliner, one of the strongest three reel dramas ever filmed, a magnificent three part Knickerbock Star Feature entitled "The Chorus Girl and The Kid," a production from the great studios of the Balboa Company, supervised by the great wizards of filmcraft The Horkheimer Brothers, a drama that for thrills and tense interest has seldom been equalled.

And starring in this film dramatic gem is that great emotional dramatic actress, Marie Empress, supported in an all-star cast. Miss Empress plays the role of Mary Jones, better known as Flora De Vere, a struggling half starved chorus girl who is in love with Billie Rogers, a chorus man who has consumption. Mazie Stuart another chorus girl is loved by Billie, but it is Mary's $50 saved from that left by her mother, that sends Billie out West for his health, but after he has recovered it is Mazie that he sends for and marries. There is a heart throb and a human interest touch in every scene, and you will enjoy it as you seldom enjoy any picture.

Another great feature, the latest Vim comedy scream, "The Frame-Up" is as full of laughs as you usually get in these great comedy creations.

Mammoth Feature at Grand

A mammoth feature photoplay at small price is what the Grand presents today, mammoth four reel super-drama produced by Kalem, the makers of the best short length photoplays in the world, entitled "The Coquette", a four act modern drama, starring that beautiful and youthful star, Rhea Martin. "The best child artists on the stage" is what Alan Dale, the famous critic, had to say of Miss Martin after he had seen her on Broadway in "Pomander Walk". Later Oliver Morosco engaged her to play the title role in his great Broadway success "Peg O My Heart" in which she further distinguished herself.

Now she is in pictures and has appeared in this stupendous four reel Kalem super drama, showing her in the strongest and most dramatic role she has ever portrayed.

"The Coquette" contains many sensational and melodramatic exploits, including a sensational escape from prison, a great fire scene and others. The story is filled with action ,and the girl is forced to sacrifice her father for the man she loves. Three men are in love with her, forming a great quartette in the four leading roles, portrayed by James Cooley, who appeared at the Royal yesterday in "The Immortal Flame," with Horace Haine, Frank Wood and Harry Hallman.

This is a great picture and will give you a solid hour of enjoyment. Why not take a shot at it the lowest prices pictures were ever presented for.

JUDGE W. P. STACY.

The voters of North Carolina yesterday endorsed the service that Judge Stacy has rendered since his appointment to the bench by electing him for a term of eight years, he having been nominated by the Democrats of the Eighth Judicial district in the primary last June.

DEVELOPMENT OF GOLF AMONG RESIDENTS OF THE CAROLINAS

Leads to a Carolina Tournament at Pinehurst This Fall

Pinehurst, N.C., Nov. 7.—The Pinehurst Country Club has addressed the following announcement and invitation to the Country Clubs of North and South Carolina.

"The Pinehurst Country Club will hold a Golf Tournament on November 10th and 11th for residents of the Carolinas only. It is hoped that a contingent will come to represent your Club and district and thus help us to achieve the purpose of this Tournament—which is to bring together the various Golf Clubs of the Carolinas and to lead to a more frequent interchange of visits and further tournament play among themselves. As a tournament this First Annual Carolina Tournament will be a golf event of the first class. Handsome trophies will be awarded to the winner of the qualifying round, to the winner of each Eight and to the runner up in each Eight."

The belief of the Board of Governors of the Pinehurst Country Club that a Golf Tournament confined to the residents of the Carolinas would prove a great success is founded on the remarkable growth of the golf habit, here in the South, during the past year or two.

A few years ago there were very few committies in this section of the country where the niblick or the putter were regarded otherwise than the amusing if harmless toys of erratic visitors from the North—and now the South teems with players who can give close matches to Dr. Paul of Charlotte and the MacKlenburg Club, or to the National Champion Miss Alexa Stirling of Atlanta, or to Miss Stirling's fellow townsman, our young friend Bobbie Jones.

Despite the efforts of the Carolina Golf Association the development of the game in each community has remained largely a local matter. The Pinehurst Country Club is doing good work in taking the initiative and in instituting, as the first of its regular features for the coming winter season, a tournament for the exclusive benefit of Carolina Golfers—one that should call together the best Golf talent of the two States.

The number of sterling trophies provided assures a prize to one out of each four contestants, as the divisions will be made up in Eights and prizes awarded to the winner and runner up in each division.

The Pine Crest Inn at Pinehurst has been open since the beginning of September. The Carolina will also open its doors in time to take care of the visiting players and their friends.

FOR COUNTY HOSPITAL.

Dr. H. O. Hyatt Makes Votes by Sarcastic Roast of Opponents.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Kinston, N. C., Nov. 7.—Dr. H. O. Hyatt, "father," of a project for a county hospital in Lenoir county, which was voted on at a separate election today and results indicate was carried, won votes for the cause by a sarcastic arraignment of opponents in the city published last night. Had he been one of those to oppose it, Dr. Hyatt declared, he would have "come right out and said I objected to the teachings of Jesus Christ, that I did not take any stock in loving my neighbor as myself, that if my fool brother needed a keeper some one else could have the job—none of it for me. When I went down on my knees in prayer I should have said: Oh, Lord, take care of me and my wife, my son John and his wife, us four and no more, and my morning song would be: 'Of all my Father's family I love myself the best; so, Providence provides for me, the devil take the rest." The hospital would cost $50,000 and be maintained at public expense.

Kinston, N. C., Nov. 7.—Its mother a victim to the operation, a pretty baby girl in a local hospital who came into the world last week through the caesarean method gives every indication of surviving. The youngster is hearty, weighs about eight pounds and is unusually attractive. Physicians had hoped that the mother would recover, her condition immediately following the operation was excellent, but later developments resulted in her death yesterday.

Kinston, N. C., Nov. 7.—Republicans cooperated with the Democratic organization here tonight in securing the election returns. Both executive committees contributed to the expense of running a wire into the courthouse, and jointly conducted the giving out of the results.

Headache Every Morning, Can't Eat

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The Sweep of the Velvet Brim is Emphasized by the Sweep of a Paradise Plume Posed Against a Crown of Jet Sequins

Hats for Evening Wear with Restaurant Frocks have the New Mushroom Brim and Crowns of Shirred Velvet

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Scarf and Muff Match the Artist Tan of Carelessly Graceful Picturesqueness

Mushroom Brims Are Welcomed Back To Fashion - Velvet the Favored Fabric for Dress Hats - Pontine Hats Strike the Note of Novelty - Wine Colored Hats the Rage.

PACKED as carefully as rare bits of porcelain in their tissue wadded boxes of light wood, jealously guarded as any state secret and hidden for weeks in the dark recesses of store rooms above exclusive shops, the winter hats from Paris have at last emerged from their seclusion to set their seal on 1916-17 fashion. And nestling against their linings are such charmed names as Odette, Maison Lewis, Suzanne Talbot, Maria Guy, Evelyn Varon, Leontine, Caroline Reboux and others no less pregnant of fashionable meaning. One expects to pay for these hats; so much for the materials which do not weigh heavily on one hand, and SO MUCH for the tiny name hidden away inside. That name if you please weighs substantially on the pocketbook!

But no woman ever regrets the price of a Paris hat—once she has tried it on. It isn't the shape, exactly, or the manner of trimming; for many skilled milliners can reproduce Paris ideas so cleverly that one can scarcely tell the difference as the hats repose side by side in a window. But on a head, before a mirror, ah, there is where the French milliner speaks! The hat becomes a very part of the head; it expresses instantly its wearer's personality, and gives her something that no price is too high to pay for—a supreme and incontestable chic. French milliners account for this adaptability of their creations by what they call the "movement" of the brim, a movement so subtle that few manufacturers who turn out head-coverings by the thousand are able to imitate it—exactly. And in the "exactly" lies the secret of the French hat's chic. French hats are always pleasing even when daring and bizarre; each is the achievement of an artist who works for love of his art quite as much as for "trade," and every hat is carefully planned out—its "movement" of brim and the same in relation to height of crown, and diameter of head-size which determines how the hat shall set on the hair.

Head sizes are larger this season and the new hats settle rather low over the brow and eyes, even when they are tilted up at the back. The mushroom brim is coming in again and between the drooping brim and the top of a fashionable choker collar, very little of my lady's face is visible. The perfectly flat brim, so fashionable last winter has disappeared; brims must droop, unless they turn upward in the outstanding angles of the continental style.

Napoleonic And Washingtonian Brims.

For shape ideas the Paris makers have taken the dashing hats familiar in portraits of the Father of His Country, and the First Emperor of France as a basic inspiration. These shapes, called tricornes or continentals as one pleases, have been improved upon and added unto until it is safe to say neither Napoleon nor the immortal George would recognize them; but at any rate they are very, very smart in their dashing lines, with three-cornered velvet brims that shoot out at violently contrasting angles. The crown of such a hat is negligible; one admits it is there, but does not notice it particularly. The brim is the thing, and if there is any trimming, it is a small, rather expensive ornament made of beads or metal. A new Napoleon creation from Lewis has a daring brim of black plush, much higher at one side than the other and in the exact center-front of this brim is a large, oval turquoise cabuchon. Another Napoleon from Odette has a crown of black satin (which you cannot see unless looking down from above) and a sharply angled brim of black velvet into which are thrust two flat headed pearl pins. Another Odette hat for restaurant wear is quite different in style. The supple brim is of pale blue panne velvet and the small bowl crown is made of blue beads in a lattice effect that reveals the hair beneath. A strip of ermine no wider than your finger-nail joins crown to brim, and at the front there is a small, flat bow of blue velvet ribbon, caught by a turquoise and rhinestone buckle. Odette has made several notable hats in this turquoise shade, which seems to be very much the thing; though few women can wear it with safety. Another favored shade in millinery is garnet; or wine color, or bordeaux, as you may choose to designate it. Superb is an afternoon hat of wine colored velvet with crown entirely hidden under wine colored ostrich, the rich uncurled ostrich that is now fashion's favorite. Plumed hats are as much in vogue as ever—provided one selects the correct sort of plumage, and has it placed correctly on the hat. No model is so difficult to achieve by the amateur as the hat trimmed with feathers, yet no type of headgear is more often ambitiously attempted. Still another wine colored creation comes from Maria Guy. Vintage red velvet is overlaid with palest blue chiffon, giving an indescribably soft, misty effect, like frost on purple grapes. There are actual grapes on the hat, great clusters of ruddy catawbas which weight down the drooping velvet brim and in the center of each cluster blooms a tiny pink rose with golden leaves.

The restaurant hat pictured is from Caroline Reboux and is in the softest, palest shade of gray, the velvet crown shirred to a mushroom brim that bends down in front to throw the eyes into deep shadow. Three pale gray ostrich tips shading to mauve snuggle against the left side of the shirred crown, and mauve tulle is twisted around the throat, echoing the tints on the hat. Another hat for restaurant wear in the afternoon is pictured in the model of silk and velvet, with a fringe of fur on the brim and a dangling Indian bead ornament in front. The silk and velvet are in brown shades, the fur is skunk and the beads are amber and coral in color. The hat matches a tailored frock of brown crepe with elaborate silk stitching in amber and coral tones. The graceful neck scarf is brown velvet with skunk fur and metal brocade in dull gold and coral red. Indian beads like those on the hat weight the ends of the scarf, which was designed by the milliner who made the hat.

The large hat trimmed with a sweeping paradise plume has a most beautiful "movement" of brim, the dark velvet facing making a charming background for the wearer's face. This hat is one of the stunning black models ready for winter, and is made of black panne velvet with a crown of jet sequins sewed on black tulle. The long sweep of the paradise feather (black also) blends with the sweep of the velvet brim.

Fur Hats Make An Early Entry.

Usually fur hats appear about Christmas time, waiting courteously for the first snowfall to provide a suitable background for their entry; but this year fur hats are out long before snow is dreamed of, or even Thanksgiving season gives them a plausible excuse to be. Very captivating little fur chapeaux, matched by muffs and neckpieces are being displayed by the milliners and so becoming are these tricksy hats that one could not possibly put off wearing them until snowfall. A typical set including hat, muff and scarf, made by Leontine, is pictured. The seal cap has a close brim that turns down like a visor and one side of the tan crown is flattened against the head by a dull gold ornament. The scarf is a long straight strip of seal lined with brown faille matinee silk, the silk gathered into bag-like ends and weighted with tassels. The same effect is carried out in the seal and silk muff, and the handsome three-piece set matches an afternoon frock of gold colored velour de laine embroidered with self-toned silk.

Buzenet has made some of the most dashing turbans of the season, and there are whispers that small, smart hats will be the mid-winter favorites as they were last year. This Buzenet model is dashing enough in all conscience. The almost flat crown is edged with a mushroom brim of black tulle which appears to support a band of lynx fur. The velvet crown also appears to be drawn up into a monstrous bow, which is of course quite separate from the little crown and made of a plentiful supply of velvet.

Velvet sailors have low, draped crowns, or very high military crowns. A last year's velvet sailor has been brought up to date by cutting the head size larger to make it settle lower on the head, and by building up and draping the crown. Slashes in the buckram shape gave the extra head room necessary, the bias velvet covering of the brim accommodating itself to the increased size. A strip of stiffening, higher at back than at front, was fastened around the crown and over it was draped new velvet, the ends crossing at the front under a metal ornament. Very smart winter sailors are of pontine, the waxed side and the reverse side of satin used in alternate effects, giving variety of color and texture. These pontine hats are not spoiled by rain for the waxed fabric sheds water like leather; and they are in demand for sport and runabout town wear.

Fur Fashions for Little Folks

IT is a fur season for the kiddies as well as for the grown-ups, and father goes a hunting, down town among the skyscrapers, for the wherewithal to buy a little rabbit skin to wrap his Baby Bunting in. It may be a real rabbit skin indeed; and it may be—depending on the wherewithal—an ermine skin, or a cunning little chinchilla skin; for no fur is too expensive for Baby Bunting, if father can afford to provide it.

The desirable furs for childhood, however, are the daintier pelts. One sees wee girlies loaded down with skunk, fox and even somber lynx, which should never be put on a child; and even seal is used this season for trimming little coats and caps, though seal is a very grown-up pelt indeed—in fact a few years ago only older women wore sealskin; the debutante was not supposed to disport this dignified fur any more than black velvet or duchess lace. In a Fifth avenue shop is a little French coat with hat to match, made of paisley shawling with sealskin trimming. Imagine a tot of six togged out in her grandmamma's shawl and furs! Yet there is a decided smartness about these little French garments and the bright, warm colors of the paisley pattern, toned down by dark bands of seal, do not seem so inappropriate to babyhood after all. Beside small coats of Copenhagen blue cloth edged with beaver, and other little coats of white bedford cord trimmed with the juvenile white coney fur, the paisley and seal outfit has an indisputable style and is distinctive, no doubt of that! Though one feels sure the average mother will prefer the more childish types in the conventional mode.

Squirrel is childhood's own particular fur and there is something about its soft texture and gray color that goes straight to every little girl's heart. This fur is not at all expensive, yet a little coat of gray broadcloth trimmed with band, collar and cuffs of gray squirrel can be really chic; and the pretty gray pelt is charming also on certain shades of blue. Gray squirrel and white coney have been combined in the one fur set. The collar is fastened with gray cord ornaments and the pretty fur set accompanies a tailored frock of blue mohair and worsted mixture.

White rabbit fur is often used in sets for children, alone or in combination with gray squirrel; but the coney has a richer texture and is much more durable than rabbit. There are whole coats of white coney for little maids—very luxurious affairs they are, some of them with collars of beautiful white fox and dainty white silk linings—but for all their attractiveness a mother should hesitate long before putting a fur coat on her little daughter in this climate. There are days even in mid-winter when a fur coat will make the small body perspire and a bad cold may be the result, for chill is apt to attack the overheated body when the fur coat is removed. It is not safe either to change from a fur coat to one of lighter weight, and back again, in a climate that is changeable; so cunning as Baby Bunting looks all wrapped in her coney skin coat, it will be the part of wisdom to confine her winter furs to muff and neckpiece and to make her coat of good warm woolen material, interlined if need be, and trimmed mayhap with narrow bands of fur.

Pontine coats, new this season, are ideal for little people, for while very light in weight this material keeps out the cold and is impervious to dampness. Pontine is an American fabric inspired by the beautiful cire or waxed materials recently produced in Paris. The outer side of the little coat looks like soft, supple leather and trimmings of the pontine on the reverse side, which may be of silk or cloth, give a smart contrasting effect. When trimmed with fur these coats are most distinguished; for example a coat of white pontine trimmed with white fox, and one of tan pontine with the reverse side in Dutch blue used for cuffs, pocket facings and strappings, and beaver fur along all the edges. A dark eyed little girl the scribe knows, has a red pontine coat with black satin facings and an edge trimming of black caracul. There are gilt buttons on the red coat and a gilt ornament on the rakish hat to match. Needless to say, this dark-eyed sprite looks like a little witch in her coat and cap of red and black with gilt buttons.

Squirrel Is The Child's Own Particular Fur; And This Set Shows Gray Squirrel And White Coney In Vandyke Effect.

Next to squirrel and white coney, one must rank beaver as the fur of childhood. The grown-ups have stolen beaver for their own during the past season, but rightfully it belongs to

What Little Girl Does Not Love To Cuddle In Fluffy White Thibet.

Baby Bunting, and no fur is daintier or softer for little coats and hats, and for muff and neckpiece sets for the wee tots. Naturally, now that beaver has become a high favorite with Fashion, the price has soared and only fortunate youngsters can wear it. A few seasons ago no one thought of beaver as an expensive pelt, but now things are different indeed. This pale brown fur is beautiful on little coats of blue or green broadcloth, or of pale yellow cloth—and these pale corn-colored, beaver-trimmed coats are worn by the exclusives in babydom just now. White cloth or bedford coats trimmed with beaver are charming also; indeed the fur looks well on any color and it has a dainty quality that makes it particularly suitable for childish wear. Chinchilla has the same quality, but chinchilla is so costly these days that very few children wear it. A generation ago almost any little girl was likely to find a muff and tippet of lovely, kitten-like chinchilla in her Christmas stocking, but only the child whose wardrobe is distinguished is so favored by Santa Claus now. The Australian chinchilla is not as dainty a fur, though it trims women's coats very handsomely, and is seldom chosen for children. Kolinsky is another fur which children do not wear—its glossy brown coat is somehow not as suitable for little folk as the softer beaver. Fox furs are rather overpowering on small people, though there are some beautiful little coats of coral colored and pale pink broadcloth trimmed with rose fox. Black fox, red fox and cross fox are of course utterly unsuited for very little girls.

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Str Kiel (Ger.), 3,372 tons, Lemke, Heide & Co.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

(Quoted Daily by the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, Nov. 7

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Nominal.

ROSIN—Nominal.

TAR—Nominal.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Nominal.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, 56½c.; rosin, $5.05 and $4.90; tar, $2.40-10c.; crude turpentine, $3.25, $3.25, $2.25.

RECEIPTS:

Spirits Turpentine 14
Rosin 130
Tar 32
Crude Turpentine 3

Receipts same day last year: Spirits turpentine, 14 casks; rosin, 82 barrels; tar, 4 barrels; crude turpentine, 2 barrels.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—13¾c.; quotations same day last year, nominal.

Receipts—1,549 bales; same day last year, 768 bales.

Total receipts since August 1 to date, 63,182 bales.

Total receipts to same date last year, 99,740 bales.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at This Port Yesterday.

Atlantic Coast Line—1,381 bales cotton.

Seaboard Air Line—168 bales cotton; 28 barrels tar; 3 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Lathrop—14 casks spirits turpentine; 130 barrels rosin; 4 barrels tar.

Total—1,549 bales cotton; 14 casks spirits turpentine; 130 barrels rosin; 32 barrels tar; 3 barrels crude turpentine.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, Nov. 7.)

SWEET POTATOES—Yams, new, 60c. to 65c. bushel.

IRISH POTATOES—$1.40 to $1.50 per bu.

CORN—$1.90 to $1.95 per sack.

BEEF—Native dressed, 9c. to 10c.

PORK—Small, 10c. to 12c. per pound.

WOOL—Burry, 20 to 22½; first class wool, 28 to 35; highest grade, washed wool, 38c.

SHEEP—Old, good quality, gross, 2 1-2 to 3c pound. Lambs, best quality, 6 to 7c pound.

HIDES—Green salt, 15c. to 16c.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON — Old hams, 23 to 25c.; sides and shoulders, 18c. to 19c. per lb.; good demand.

BEESWAX — Firm, 28c. per pound; good demand.

POULTRY—Chickens, grown, 45c to 50c.; spring, 20c. to 35c. head.

EGGS—30 to 31c. dozen.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, Nov. 7.—North Carolina peanuts; new crop, farmers' stock, fancy handpicked, 85 cents; No. 1 machine, 77c per bushel.

Virginia peanuts, farmers' stock, new crop, Jumbos, 66c; fancy handpicked, 60c; No. 1 machine picked, 55c.

Spanish peanuts, farmers' stock, new crop, No. 1, small, machine picked, 90c; Jumbos, 85c per bushel.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, Plummer & Co., Inc.)

Petersburg, Va., Nov. 7. — Spanish—Farmers' stock, market firm and excited; New stock, $1.35 per bu.

Virginias—Farmers' stock, market firm. New stock: Fancy Jumbo, 3 1-4 to 4c per lb.; Extra Prime, 3 1-2 to 3 3-4c per lb.; Prime 3 1-4 to 3 1-2 per lb.; Shelling stock, 2 3-4 to 3 1-4 per lb.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, Nov. 7.—Hogs closed 5s higher than yesterday's average; bulk 9.20 to 9.85; light 8.70 to 9.80; mixed 9.20 to 9.95; heavy 9.25 to 9.95; rough 9.25 to 9.40; pigs 6.40 to 8.60.

Cattle—Strong to 10c higher; calves 25 to 50c higher; native beef cattle 7.00 to 11.75; western steers 5.60 to 10.00; stockers 4.80 to 8.00; cows and heifers 3.75 to 9.65; calves 8.50 to 12.00.

Sheep—Closed 10 to 25c higher; wethers 7.60 to 8.75; ewes 4.10 to 7.65; lambs 8.50 to 11.15.

SAVANNAH NAVAL STORES.

Savannah, Nov. 7.—Turpentine firm, 46 3-4 to 47; sales 557; receipts 629; shipments 213; stock 18,284.

Rosin—Firm; sales 999; receipts 2,677; shipments 465; stock 76,957. Quote: A B C D E, 6.25; F G H I K M, 6.35; N, 6.40; WG, 6.45; WW, 6.80.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, Nov. 7.—Spot cotton in fair demand, prices higher; good middling 11.46; middling 11.32; low middling 11.15. Sales 8,000 bales; including 6,000 American; receipts 34,000 bales, including 32,200 for speculation.

Futures closed very steady. November 11.33 1-2; November and December 11.30 1-2; December and January 11.30 1-2; January and February 11.34; February and March 11.36 1-4; March and April 11.39; April and May 11.42; May and June 11.45 1-2; June and July 11.45; July and August 11.44 1-2; August and September 11.09 1-2; September and October 10.56; October and November 10.33; November and December 10.28.

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PROBLEMS OF THE WIRELESS.

Lost Energy Not Due to Earth's Attraction, It is Said.

(From the Washington Star.)

Flinging messages through the ether for thousands of miles by wireless has been accomplished only by the solution of numberless problems that have arisen and been solved since the early days of the epoch-making invention.

One of the baffling problems of wireless, especially in long-distance work, has just been solved, however, and this solution, like so many others in modern applied science, has been made by experts of the Federal government. Electric ether waves of very great length are required to carry messages to vast distances, and in the production of these much electrical energy must be expended. Up to a certain point the use of long waves has contributed to the ease of operation of the plant, reducing resistance; but there has then come an inexplicable change to a rapidly increasing resistance, causing a great waste of energy. Observers thought they had satisfactorily proved that this costly and wasteful absorption of energy was due to the earth, since certain experiments at sea had shown very low resistance. If this were true, nothing could be done to lessn losses at land wireless stations.

Radio experts of the bureau of standards were not satisfied with this explanation, and by a series of experiments at the bureau in Washington have proved that the lost energy is sapped away not by the earth but by wooden masts usually employed to support the sending wires and by trees and buildings near the station. The experts built a small system of sending wires or antennae with one end close to the branches of a tree and the other end in the open, provision being made to switch off the portion of the wires near the tree. While the absorption on the unobstructed end was negligible, it was enormous when the tree end was also switched in. At the same time it was proved the earth did not absorb the energy, by building a miniature antennae very close to the ground, where loss, if from that source, would be easier.

Much interest has been taken all over the country in the experiments of the bureau. It is probable that the work of the Federal experts will lead to a considerable improvement in design of existing and future antennae with a marked increase in wireless efficiency.

INDIAN SIGN LANGUAGE

Every Red Man Learns It in Addition to His Own.

(From the Youth's Companion.)

A white man who visits a foreign nation finds it hard, and sometimes impossible to make his most ordinary wants known. The red man has no such difficulty; the problem of a universal language was solved centuries ago by the savage inhabitants of this western world.

Should an Indian from Northern Alaska go to Patagonia he could by means of this universal language converse with his southern brethren almost as easily as he could with his neighbors at home. That would also be the case if he visited Central America or met the tribesmen of our own Western prairies and mountains.

When the language was invented no one knows, but every Indian learns it in addition to his own. Recently two chiefs of different tribes met in the Geographical Society rooms in Washington and held a conversation that lasted nearly three hours, and yet neither one knew a word of the other's language.

This universal language is, of course, made up of signs. For example, if an Indian is passing through a strange country and see no other Indians at a distance he makes the "peace sign"; that is, he holds up his blanket by two corners so that it covers his whole figure. The same thought is expressed by extending the hands, palms outward, slightly inclined from the face. Any Indian would understand either one of these signs.

Then there are the abstract signs by which these "savages" can express their thoughts with regard to the Great Spirit, heaven, good, evil, life and death, sickness, health, riches and poverty. Life is expressed by drawing an imaginary thread from the mouth, and death by chopping this thread off. Another sign for death is to hold the tips of the fingers of one hand against the palm of the other, and let them gradually slip downward, and at last drop beneath the palm.

Most white people think that the Indian word of greeting "How" is merely the abbreviation of the question, "How are you?" But that is not so. The word is really "aou," which means "brother" or "friend." So when he comes up and growls out his seemingly inquisitive "How," he is not asking after your health, but telling you that he is a friend.

JAPAN'S SECOND LANGUAGE.

Rapid Progress Made in Speaking English in the Empire.

(From the Far East.)

The progress of English as the "second language" in Japan proceeds with gathering force. Recently the third conference teachers of English in all the leading middle schools throughout the countr yto the number of several hundred were held during an entire week at Osaka, the proceedings being opened by Baron Kanda with an address, followed by Baron Kikuchi, who suggested the improvement of the reading matter in school textbooks.

The annual exercises of the English speaking society of Waseda University were given in the auditorium. In addition to a large number of students there were many prominent educationists present and a number of foreign residents. The meeting was opened by Prof. T. Takasugi, as usual, with a forceful address, in which he eulogized the wonderful work accomplished by the founder of Waseda, Count Okuma, as an educator and a statesman.

The short plays and speeches all rendered in English by prominent young students were upon the whole well done, reflecting credit upon the foreign teachers, who have been training them almost day and night for the last fortnight. A dialogue entitled, "Man About the Town," produced by the students of the senior class, was probably the best of all plays during the evening.

MORGAN'S CIGARS COST $1.25.

The Kaiser, Supplied by Same Cuban Factory, Pays 9 0Cents Apiece.

(From Philadelphia Public Ledger.)

They found among the effects left by Pierpont Morgan $8,000 worth of cigars. I held in my hand a few days ago two bores of his favorite brands. His after-dinner smokes cost $1.25 each.

A representative of the Cuban factory which makes them tells me that Morgan ordered usually 5,000 or 6,000 at a clip.

"There are only two men in Cuba who can make that cigar, and nearly all of them are produced by one man," said this Cuban producer. "We pay him 40 cents to make each cigar and he can roll about 25 of them in one day."

The King of Wall Street smoked a bit better cigar than does Emperor William of Germany. The Kaiser's cigar, made by the same factory in Cuba, is worth 90 cents.

The oldest brand of cigars was put out 112 years ago—that is, the oldest which is in existence today. I understand that, in face of the British battleships, the Kaiser is still able to get all the cigars he wants.

Kinston, N. C., Nov. 7.—Marcellus Sutton, a landowning farmer of Moseley Hall township, Lenoir county, has appealed from a judgment of the La Grange recorder ordering him to serve ten months on the roads or pay fines aggregating $150 for selling whisky. Sutton was convicted in two cases. He is well-known and prominently connected.

Kinston, N. C., Nov. 7.—Opening of a two weeks term of civil superior court here yesterday was postponed until Thursday morning on account of the elections. Judge W. A. Devin will preside over the term, cut to nine days.

SHRINERS' SPECIAL SLEEPERS

For the installation of Sudan Temple at New Bern, Wednesday, November 22nd, a special sleeper, or two, if necessary, will be parked in Union Station in Wilmington Tuesday night, November 21st, and may be occupied at and after 10.00 P. M. They will be attached to special train passing Wilmington about 3:40 Wednesday morning, carrying members of Oasis Temple of Charlotte, and will arrive in New Bern at 7:00 A. M. Returning, the cars will likewise be parked at New Bern for occupancy at and after 10:00 P. M. Wednesday, and will leave there at midnight. Passengers may remain in the cars at the Union Station in Wilmington until 7:00 A. M. The railroad fare will be $2.00 for the round trip. Diagrams have been opened and it is important that those contemplating the trip register their names at the earliest practicable moment with either of the undersigned.

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THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture—Weather Bureau.

November 8, 1916.

Meteorological data for the day ending at 8 P. M., yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 47 degrees; at 8 P. M., 57 degrees; maximum, 66 degrees; minimum, 46 degrees; mean, 56 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00 inch; rainfall for the month, to date, .00 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., yesterday, 1.7 feet.

THE WEATHER.

For North Carolina: Fair and somewhat warmer Wednesday; Thursday probably fair.

The Port Calendar, Nov. 8, 1916.

Sun rises . . . . . 6:28 A. M.
Sun sets . . . . . 5:14 P. M.
Day's length . . . . . 10 hrs. 36 min.

THE TIDES.

	High water. A.M.	P.M.	Low water. A.M.	P.M.
Wilmington	3:32	3:48	9:16	9:53
Southport	6:33	6:48	12:12	12:46
Masonboro Inl	6:22	6:37	11:52	12:26

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS

November 7, 1916.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature: Highest today.	Lowest Last night.	Precipitation last 24 hours.
Abilene	clear	80	64	.0
Asheville	clear	64	36	.0
Atlanta	clear	64	44	.0
Augusta	clear	66	46	.0
Baltimore	clear	56	—	.0
Birmingh	clear	74	48	.0
Boston	clear	50	36	.0
Charleston	clear	68	50	.0
Charlotte	clear	60	40	.0
Chicago	clear	74	58	.0
Galveston	clear	78	72	.0
Jacksonv.	cldy	66	62	.06
Memphis	clear	76	56	.0
Mobile	clear	74	56	.0
Montgom'y	clear	74	54	.0
New Orl.	clear	78	64	.0
New York	clear	56	42	.0
Palestine	cldy	82	66	.0
Pittsburg	clear	70	44	.0
Raleigh	clear	62	42	.0
Savannah	cldy	68	50	.0
Shreveport	clear	80	58	.0
St. Louis	clear	74	58	.0
Washing'n	clear	60	48	.0

ATLANTIC COAST LINE RAILROAD COMPANY.

Office of the Treasurer.
Wilmington, N. C., November 1, 1916.

The Board of Directors of Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company has declared a dividend of two and one-half per cent. on the Preferred Capital Stock of that Company, payable at the office of the Treasurer, Wilmington, N. C., on and after November 10th, 1916. The transfer books are closed from October 29th to November 10th, 1916, both dates inclusive.

JAMES F. POST,
Treasurer.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA—IN the District Court of the United States, for the Eastern District of North Carolina. In Admiralty.

Fisheries Products Company, charterers of the steamers "John L. Lawrence," "Eugene F. Price," "Pocomoke," "Portland," "Adroit," and "Fannie M," and Thomas St. George, P. T. Dickssey, Chas. L. Fulcher, Chas. G. St. George, James Williams and John E. Bowen, masters, respectively, of the said steamers, for themselves and all others interested; Vs. Steamship "Edilio," her tackle, apparel, furniture, freight, and against her cargo and the proceeds thereof, in a cause of salvage, Civil and Maritime, and all persons claiming an interest therein.

And Whereas, By virtue of process in due form of law, to me directed, returnable on the 8th day November, 1916, I have seized and taken the said steamships "John L. Lawrence," "Eugene F. Price," "Pocomoke," "Portland," "Adroit" and "Fannie M," their cargoes and freight moneys, and have them in my custody.

Notice is hereby given that a District Court will be held in the United States Court Room, in the City of Wilmington, N. C., on the 8th day of November, 1916, for the trial of said premises, and the owner or owners, and all persons who may have or claim to have any interest, are cited to be and appear at the time and place aforesaid, to show cause, if any they have, why a final decree should not pass as prayed.

W. T. DORTCH,
U. S. Marshal.

By J. N. Fennell,
Deputy U. S. Marshal.

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Excursion Fares
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$3.50—New Bern, N. C.

Account Eastern Carolina Fair. Tickets include admission to the Fair and will be sold Nov. 7, 8, 9 and 10, limited returning until Nov. 11. Special service will be given, leaving Wilmington 5:15 A. M., Wednesday, Thursday and Friday; returning, leave New Bern 5:00 P. M.

$18.35—Atlanta, Ga.

Account Southern Medical Association. Tickets will be sold November 12, 13 and 14, limited returning until November 19.

$4.30—Raleigh, N. C.

Account Farmers Educational and Co-Operative Union of America. Tickets will be sold Nov. 12, 13 and 14, limited returning until Nov. 18.

$7.95—Columbia, S. C.

Account Semi-Annual Meeting Southern Textile Association. Tickets will be sold Nov. 15, 16 and 17, limited returning until November 20.

$38.10—New Orleans, La.

Account National Farm and Live Stock Show. Tickets will be sold Nov. 10 to 18, inclusive, limited returning until Nov. 21.

$3.00—New Bern, N. C.

Account Institution Sudan Temple, A. A. O. N. M. S. Tickets will be sold November 21 and 22, limited returning until November 24.

$16.85—Washington, D. C.

Account National Rivers and Harbors Congress. Tickets will be sold December 3, 4 and 5, limited returning until December 12.

$7.55—Norfolk, Va.

Account Southern Commercial Congress. Tickets will be sold Dec. 8, 9, 10 and 11, limited returning until Dec. 19.

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Wednesday, Thursday and Friday
November 8, 9 and 10.

Leave Wilmington . . . . . 5:15 A. M.
Leave Jacksonville . . . . . 7:05 A. M.
Arrive New Bern . . . . . 8:30 A. M.
Returning—Leave New Bern 5:00 P. M.
Arrive Wilmington about . . 8:15 P. M.

For further particulars Phone 160.

SOUTHERN RAILWAY.

Effective Monday, September 11th, 1916, Southern Railway announces the present Winston-Salem-Beaufort-Morehead City Pullman Sleeping Car line will be shortened to Winston-Salem-Goldsboro. Pullman Sleeping Car line. This car will leave Winston-Salem at 8:50 P. M. same as at present, and arrive Goldsboro following morning, returning car will leave Goldsboro 10:35 P. M., arriving Winston-Salem following morning.

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Arrivals and Departures of Trains at Wilmington, Effective Sept. 11, 1916. Time Not Guaranteed.

DEPARTURES	TO AND FROM	ARRIVALS:
No. 90 3:40 A.M. Daily except Sunday.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad.	No. 91 1:15 A.M. Daily except Monday.
No. 52 5:30 A.M. Daily.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, St. Petersburg, Ft. Myers, Columbia and Asheville. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia open to receive outbound passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M. and may be occupied, inbound, until 7:00 A. M.	No. 50 12:30 A.M. Daily.
No. 64 5:15 A.M. Mon., Wed. and Fri. only.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 65 6:15 P.M. Mon., Wed. and Fri. only.
No. 45 5:40 A.M. Daily.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. Parlor cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York trains having Pullman service.	Daily No. 49 6:00 P.M.
No. 53 5:45 A.M. Daily.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford.	No. 53 6:00 P.M. Daily.
No. 62 3:35 P.M. Daily	Jacksonville, Newbern and intermediate stations.	No. 63 12:50 P.M. Daily
No. 55 3:45 P.M. Daily.	Chadbourn, Florence, Columbia, Augusta, Atlanta and the West. Charleston, Savannah and all Florida points. All Steel Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington, Augusta and Atlanta. Sleeping cars only between Florence and Columbia, which may be occupied at Columbia until 7:00 A. M.	No. 54 12:50 P.M. Daily.
No. 59 6:30 P.M. Tuesday, Thursday and Sat. only.	Fayetteville and Intermediate stations.	No. 60 10:15 A.M. Tuesday, Thursday and Sat. only.
No. 42 6:45 P.M. Daily.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains, carrying dining cars; also Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41 9:50 A.M. Daily.

For folders, reservations, rates of fares, etc., call 'phone 160.

W. J. CRAIG, Passenger Traffic Manager.
T. C. WHITE, General Passenger Agent.
WILMINGTON, N. C.

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

IN EFFECT OCTOBER 9, 1916.

Winter Park, Wrightsville, Wrightsville Beach AND INTERMEDIATE POINTS.

EASTBOUND. Leave Electric Center for Winter Park	Leave Electric Center for Wrightsville	Leave Electric Center for Beach	WESTBOUND: Leave Winter Park for Wilmington.	Leave Wrightsville for Wilmington	Leave Beach for Wilmington.
* 6:30 A.M.	* 6:30 A.M.	* 6:30 A.M.	* 6:26 A.M.	* 6:15 A.M.	.....
6:50 A.M.	6:50 A.M.	? 6:50 A.M.	* 7:31 A.M.	* 7:20 A.M.	.....
* 8:00 A.M.	* 8:00 A.M.	.....	8:01 A.M.	7:50 A.M.	7:40 A.M.
8:30 A.M.	8:30 A.M.	8:30 A.M.	* 8:41 A.M.	* 8:30 A.M.	.....
.....	.....	.....	9:36 A.M.	9:25 A.M.	9:15 A.M.
10:00 A.M.	10:00 A.M.	10:00 A.M.	??10:31 A.M.	??10:20 A.M.	.....
11:30 A.M.	11:30 A.M.	11:30 A.M.	11:06 A.M.	10:55 A.M.	10:45 A.M.
? 1:00 P.M.	? 1:00 P.M.	? 1:00 P.M.	12:36 P.M.	12:25 P.M.	12:15 P.M.
* 1:10 P.M.	* 1:10 P.M.	*x1:10 P.M.	? 2:06 P.M.	? 1:55 P.M.	? 1:45 P.M.
??1:55 P.M.	??1:55 P.M.	.....	* 2:01 P.M.	* 1:50 P.M.	*x1:45 P.M.
2:30 P.M.	2:30 P.M.	.....	??2:36 P.M.	??2:25 P.M.	.....
3:00 P.M.	3:00 P.M.	3:00 P.M.	??3:11 P.M.	??3:00 P.M.	.....
3:30 P.M.	.....	.....	??3:50 P.M.	.....	.....
??4:10 P.M.	.....	.....	4:06 P.M.	3:55 P.M.	3:45 P.M.
4:30 P.M.	4:30 P.M.	4:30 P.M.	??4:30 P.M.	.....	.....
??4:50 P.M.	.....	.....	??5:10 P.M.	.....	.....
5:30 P.M.	5:30 P.M.	.....	5:36 P.M.	5:25 P.M.	5:15 P.M.
6:10 P.M.	6:10 P.M.	.....	6:11 P.M.	6:00 P.M.	.....
6:40 P.M.	6:40 P.M.	x 6:40 P.M.	6:51 P.M.	6:40 P.M.	.....
7:15 P.M.	7:15 P.M.	.....	7:31 P.M.	7:20 P.M.	x 7:15 P.M.
8:15 P.M.	8:15 P.M.	.....	8:06 P.M.	7:55 P.M.	.....
9:15 P.M.	9:15 P.M.	9:15 P.M.	8:56 P.M.	8:45 P.M.	.....
10:15 P.M.	10:15 P.M.	.....	10:21 P.M.	10:10 P.M.	10:00 P.M.
11:15 P.M.	11:15 P.M.	11:15 P.M.	10:56 P.M.	10:45 P.M.	.....
			12:21 A.M.	12:10 A.M.	12:00 M.

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DEPARTURE OF TRAINS FROM WILMINGTON:

No. 13—3:55 P. M.—Train for Charlotte and Intermediate Points. PULLMAN PARLOR CAR, WILMINGTON TO CHARLOTTE.

No. 19—5:00 A. M.—Train for Charlotte and Intermediate Points. SLEEPING CAR BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND CHARLOTTE. Open at 10:00 P. M., for Passengers.

ARRIVAL OF TRAINS AT WILMINGTON:

No. 14—12:40 P. M.—Train from Charlotte and Intermediate Points. PULLMAN PARLOR CAR BETWEEN CHARLOTTE AND WILMINGTON.

No. 20—12:10 A. M.—Train from Charlotte and Intermediate Points. SLEEPING CAR BETWEEN CHARLOTTE AND WILMINGTON. PASSENGERS MAY REMAIN IN SLEEPER UNTIL 7:00 A. M.

For detailed information and reservations, call on City Ticket Agent, Orton Building. 'Phone 178.

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Read Star Business Locals.

WILSON'S ELECTION IS CLAIMED BY DEMOCRATIC CHAIRMAN THIS MORNING

(Continued from Page Two.)

vised the next day and the reputed Republican victory landed Grover Cleveland in the White House."

DEMOCRAT ELECTED TO U. S. SENATE FROM RHODE ISLAND

Providence, R. I., Nov. 7.—Peter Goelet Gerry, a Democrat, was elected to the Senate today defeating Henry F. Lippitt, Rhode Island's senior senator, by nearly four thousand and giving this state a Democratic representative in the Senate for the first time in over forty years.

RESULT IN MASSACHUSETTS UNDECIDED AT ONE O'CLOCK

Boston, Mass., Nov. 8.—One of the closest fights for President in the history of Massachusetts was undecided at 1 o'clock this morning. At that hour Hughes had a lead over Wilson of 12,979 votes, with 171 precincts out of a total of 1,166 missing.

Governor McCall was running ahead of the National ticket. His total at 1 o'clock was 221,788 against 189,934 for Frederick W. Mansfield, the Democratic candidate.

Senator Lodge had received 215,242 votes against 192,969 for former Mayor Fitzgerald, Democratic candidate for the Senate.

At the same hour there was no known change in the congressional representation of 12 Republicans and 4 Democrats.

REPUBLICANS CLAIM ILLINOIS BY OVER 100,000 MAJORITY

Chicago, Nov. 7. — Returns received up to 9:15 o'clock tonight indicated a Republican victory in Illinois by a plurality estimated by Republicans at more than 100,000 for Hughes, and slightly smaller for the Republican state ticket.

At that hour the indicated plurality for Hughes in the state, outside of Chicago, was more than 100,000, while Hughes was leading slightly on incomplete Chicago returns. The race in Chicago, however, was close. Frank O. Lowden was opposed by Governor Edward F. Dunne, Democrat, who was up for re-election.

Women who voted for the first time in Illinois on the presidential issue maintained about the same ratio of preference for Hughes or Wilson as the men.

In 1912 Wilson carried Illinois by a vote of 405,048 to 386,478 for Roosevelt, and 253,593 for Taft. Roosevelt in that year carried Chicago by a plurality of approximately 35,000 over Wilson.

Governor Dunne tonight conceded his defeat in a telegram of congratulation to his Republican opponent, Frank O. Lowden.

CLAIMS DEMOCRATS WILL STILL CONTROL SENATE.

New York, Nov. 8.—Senator Willard Saulsbury, chairman of the Democratic senatorial campaign committee, gave out the following statement at 12:15 o'clock this morning:

"The Republicans' claim that they will control the United States Senate is absurd. Returns received by us up to this hour indicate the loss of only two Democratic senators and a gain of four. This does not include the Democratic senator in Indiana where the result is still in doubt."

HUGHES GETS ABOUT 200,000 MAJORITY IN PENNSYLVANIA

Philadelphia, Nov. 7.—Early returns from Pennsylvania indicate that Chas. E. Hughes has carried the state by about 200,000 plurality. Returns also indicate that the Democrats apparently will not increase their representation of six in congress.

Philander C. Knox, Republican, was elected to the Senate by a large plurality and the entire Republican state ticket also was successful.

REPUBLICANS HAD SLIGHT EARLY LEAD IN INDIANA.

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 7.—At 10:30 o'clock the outcome of the election in Indiana was still in doubt, but Hughes for President, and Roorich, Republican, for governor, were leading by small margins.

The two Republican candidates for United States Senator were also leading. Marion county, in which Indianapolis is located, went Republican by a good margin.

The returns on congressmen came in slowly but early indications were that the Republicans would increase their membership in the lower house. Socialists were asserting that Eugene V. Debs, Socialist, has been elected in the Fifth district.

Nevada For Wilson

Reno, Nev., Nov. 8.—Thirty precincts out of 90 in Nevada, including Reno, give Wilson 1,061; Hughes 769.

Wilson Leads in Idaho

Boise, Idaho, Nov. 8.—Only 12,000 out of a probable 115,000 votes had been counted early this morning. These gave Wilson 6,468; Hughes 6,295.

Claims Delaware For Hughes

Wilmington, Del., Nov. 8.—The Morning News at 3:15 a. m. claims Hughes has carried Delaware.

Wilson Leads in Kansas

Kansas City, Nov. 8.—President Wilson had a lead of 3,274 votes at 2 o'clock this morning over Charles E. Hughes in one of the closest election races the state of Kansas has ever known. Six hundred and thirty precincts out of 2,274 reported gave Wilson 102,490 against 97,216 for Hughes.

Wilson Carries Kentucky

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 7.—Returns from about 60 per cent of the precincts in Kentucky at 1:15 o'clock showed President Wilson leading by about 35,000. But few of the mountain counties which ordinarily return large Republican majorities have been heard from, however, and conservative estimates placed the President's probable majority at only 10,000.

Hughes Leads in Kansas

Kansas City Nov. 7.—Hughes took the lead from Wilson in Kansas when 527 precincts of the 2,474 in the state had been reported, the total showing Wilson 78,166 and Hughes 79,551. The count was from 64 of the 105 counties.

Concedes Hughes' Election

New York, Nov. 7.—The New York Evening World announces that Hughes has been elected.

Wilson Strong in Massachusetts

Boston, Mass. Nov. 7.—Five hundred and fifty-two precincts (including all but a few in Boston) out of 1,166 in the state give Hughes 89,794, Wilson 100,790.

Hughes' Election Conceded

New York, Nov. 7.—The New York Times, which supported President Wilson during the campaign, concedes election of Charles E. Hughes.

The Times also announced that Hughes had carried all of New England, Illinois and Indiana as well as the State of New York.

Tumulty More Optimistic

Long Branch, Nov. 7.—At 1 o'clock Secretary Tumulty's claim of the President's re-election grew stronger. A telephone talk between the executive offices and Democratic National Headquarters in New York strengthened the confidence expressed here.

Catts Ahead in Florida.

Jacksonville, Fla., Nov. 7.—One hundred and eighty-seven precincts out of 946 in Florida gave for governor: Knott Democrat, 6,611; Catts, independent prohibitionist, 7,480.

Colorado Safely Democratic.

Denver, Colo., Nov. 7.—Ten precincts out of 1,451 in Colorado give Hughes 818; Wilson 1,443. For governor; Carlson, Republican, 775; Gunter, Democrat, 1,281.

Herald Gives Hughes Victory.

New York, Nov. 7.—The New York Herald flashed the election of Hughes at 7:39 o'clock.

Claims Wilson Victory

Long Branch, Nov. 7.—At 9:05 p. m. Secretary Tumulty claimed the election of President Wilson.

Vote Close In Oregon

Portland, Nov. 7.—Eleven precincts of 375 in Multnomah county in which Portland is located gave Hughes 412, Wilson 400. Scattering returns from 19 Oregon counties out side of this county give Hughes 600; Wilson 456.

Iowa Republican by 50,000

Des Moines, Iowa, Nov. 7.—Iowa went Republican today by probably more than 50,000 for Hughes and more than 100,000 for W. L. Harding, Republican candidate for Governor.

North Dakota For Hughes

Fargo, N. D., Nov. 7.—Charles E. Hughes carried North Dakota today by a plurality of approximately 10,000, returns at midnight indicated. Reelection of Senator Porter J. McCumber also seemed assured.

Ohio Very Close

Cincinnati, Nov. 7.—In the first thousand precincts counted there was a difference of fewer than 100 votes between the two presidential candidates. Returns from 1,108 precincts gave Wilson 85,046; Hughes 84,967.

Wilson Leads in California

San Francisco, Nov. 7.—Scattering returns, representing all parts of the city and county give Hughes 1,410 Wilson 1,529. For Senator Johnson, Republican 1,957; Patton, Democrat 756.

Prohibition in South Dakota.

Sioux Falls, S. D., Nov. 7.—The ratio in more than one-tenth of the precincts in the state indicate Hughes has carried South Dakota by a plurality of 15,000. The prohibition amendment was adopted by 20,000 and the suffrage amendment by 10,000. Peter Norbeck, Republican, will win for governor by 35,000, it is claimed.

Wilson Leads in Baltimore.

Baltimore, Nov. 7.—Twenty-six precincts out of 316 in Baltimore city: Wilson 4,036; Hughes 3,826.

For Senator: France, Republican, 3,754; Lewis, Democrat, 3,039.

Fifty precincts, Baltimore City: Prohibition—For 3,646; against 10,880. Indicated majority against 20,000.

In four congressinal districts, Baltimore, Demeratic candidates slightly in lead.

Utah Favors Wilson.

Salt Lake City, Utah, Nov. 7.—Early returns from Weber, Summit and Utah counties indicate that Wilson has carried the state and that U. S. Senator Sutherland, Republican, probably is defeated by W. S. King, Democrat.

Wilson Leads in Washington.

Seattle, Wash., Nov 7.—Three precincts out of 2,385 in Washington give for President, Hughes 128; Wilson 130.

Republicans Carry Iowa.

Des Moines, Ia., Nov. 7.—The returns from nearly all parts of Iowa, including about one-tenth of the total number of precincts, indicated that Hughes would carry the state by about 30,000 and Harding, Republican candidate for governor, by more than 100,000.

Admits Wilson is Behind.

Chicago, Nov. 7.—The Chicago Herald, which has supported President Wilson, in its first edition will admit that the President is from 50,000 to 100,000 votes behind Hughes in Illinois in incomplete returns.

Surprising Victory, Says Willcox.

New York, Nov. 7.—Chairman Willcox, of the Republican National committee at 8:50 o'clock gave out the following statement:

"The victory is greater than we had hoped for and it shows that the American people can be trusted to settle the issues of the campaign. The present outlook seems to indicate a clean sweep. That means Mr. Hughes is elected president and that both Houses of Congress will be Republican. The American people are to be congratulated."

Hughes 31; Wilson 1.

El Paso, Texas, Nov. 7.—It was announced at the headquarters of the Seventh Pennsylvania division here late today that the vote of the staff officers of the division for President was 31 for Hughes and one for Wilson.

Republican Senator in Maryland

Baltimore Sun, Democratic, at 1 a. m. conceded the election of Dr. Joseph I. France Republican, as United States Senator.

Carter Glass Re-Elected

Roanoke, Va., Nov. 7.—Congressman Carter Glass was re-elected today in the sixth district by a large complimentary vote over George B. Wilson, Republican, whose opposition was virtually nominal.

Weaver Defeats Britt

Asheville N. C., Nov. 7.—State Senator Zebulon Weaver, Democratic candidate for Congress in the Tenth Congressional district, is elected over his Republican opponent, Congressman James J. Britt, by a majority of approximately 600 votes, according to incomplete returns. His election is certain, although the majority may change.

New Hampshire Republican.

Manchester, N. H., Nov. 8.—With approximately 100 precincts out of 294 in the state reported, it was certain early today that New Hampshire had gone for Hughes, for President, by a plurality of 5,000. Henry W. Keyes, of North Haverhill, Republican, was elected governor over John C. Hutchins, Democrat, by 10,000. Both Republican congressmen were re-elected.

Connecticut For Hughes

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 7.—Connecticut's seven electoral votes will be cast for Hughes. At 1 o'clock with only nine towns missing the votes was Hughes 102,266; Wilson 97,147.

The missing towns normally are Republican. The Republicans re-elected Governor Holcomb, Senator McLean and three of five Congressmen.

Kansas In Doubt

Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 7.—Kansas could not be claimed by either Wilson or Hughes in view of returns available from 585 of the 2,474 precincts of the state at 12:30 o'clock this morning. On those reports, scattered throughout the state, the President was leading with 91,144 votes against 90,552 for Hughes.

Wisconsin Probably Republican

Milwaukee, Wis., Nov. 7.—At midnight returns, with only two or three counties complete, indicate that Hughes has carried Wisconsin, by at least 20,000, that La Follette leads for Senate by two to one and that Philip, Republican nominee for governor would be elected. Returns on congressmen indicate losses by all three sitting Democrats and the re-election in the sixth and Konop in the ninth were in danger.

Hughes Carries Maine

Portland Me., Nov. 8.—Six Hughes and Fairbanks electors were chosen in Maine with an estimated plurality of 6,000 out of a vote of 132,000, according to revised returns at midnight with less than 100 small places missing. Hughes had 65,099 and Wilson 60,102.

Wilson Leads in Missouri

St. Louis, Nov. 7.—205 out of 800 precincts give Wilson 28,458; Hughes 22,524. If this ratio continues, Wilson will carry the state by about 10,000.

Close Race In California

San Francisco, Nov. 8.—Returns from 845 precincts out of 2,474 in California give Hughes 26,871; Wilson, 26,36. For Senator: Johnson, Republican and Progressive 22,153; Patton, Democrat, 12,287.

Wilson Leads In Nebraska

Omaha, Neb., Nov. 7.—39 precincts in Nebraska out of 1,739 gave Wilson 4,373; Hughes 4,244. Comparison with the vote of the same precincts two years ago, indicates a majority for Wilson in the state above 20,000.

Wilson Ahead In Missouri

Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 7.—Wilson continued to hold his early lead in Jackson county as additional precincts were received. The result with 79 precincts of the 283 is showed Wilson 10,620 and Hughes 7,427. The vote for Senator was Dickey 7,639 and Reed 10,450. The same precincts on the prohibition amendment gave 10,166 against and 6,544 for.

OREGON WOMAN IS HONORED BY KING PETER OF SERBIA.

Receives Order of the Milosrche for Work Among Orphans.

(Correspondence of Associated Press.)

Athens, Oct. 15.—Miss Marcelle Reed, of La Grange, Ore., who for two years has been caring for destitute Serbian orphans, has received from King Peter of Serbia, the order of the Milosrche in recognition of her work. For the past three months, during the absence of Mme. Dora Droultch, the head of the H. P. Frothingham Institute, assisted by Miss Emily Simmons, of New York, Miss Reed finally broke down under the long strain and has returned to the United States for a rest.

Mr. Charles H. Farnam, of New York, has just inspected the Frothingham Institute on benalf of various American Serbian relief organizations. She has left Athens for Saloniki where she will continue her work of studying the needs of the Serbian refugees and the civil population of Serbia with a view to securing more unity in the American relief work.

Minister of Public Instruction Davidovitch, of Serbia, expressed to the Associated Press correspondent the hope that more co-ordination could be secured in the organization of American Serbian relief work to spare waste effort and duplication.

"It is wonderful what the people of the United States have done and are doing to help distressed Serbia," he said. 'No one can have any idea how much it means to us. Without the help of the Americans so many Serbs would die that the Serbian people would be in danger of ceasing to exist.

"Most of all we shall need medicines and clothing. But after these, the simplest and cheapest of foodstuffs; wheat, corn meal, rice, beans and sugar are the essentials. Our people are peasants. They neither know the use nor have acquired the taste for more elaborate things to eat. Last year they received a large quantity of green corn from the United States; but they did not know how to eat it or what to do with it, and this valuable shipment was wasted on that account.

"In the matter of clothing the simplest and warmest garments are best. In the early days of the war, we received many boxes from America and England in which kind ladies had packed low-necked, flimy ball gowns. If you could have seen the Serbian peasant women who needed flannels, clutching, shining-eyed, these gauzy creations of silk and chiffon, the like of which they had never dreamed existed.

"The best way of shipment is for a forwarding committee in New York to accumulate the supplies until a shipload is gathered, then to hire a vessel and send all the supplies aboard her to Saloniki. There a distributing committee can be charged with seeing that they are placed in the way to do the most good."

MONKEY HOLDS UP TRAIN

Chattering Simian Chased by the Scared Engineer and Passengers.

(From the Los Angeles Times.)

Because a large monkey belonging to Miss Katherine Smith wasn't served breakfast at the usual hour yesterday morning he went on a widespread rampage, bit a young lady on the ankle, but couldn't make a meal of it; climbed all over a man he disliked and finally held up a passenger train.

As a climax he got mixed up, scrambled-egg fashion, with a man named Mr. Monk and scratched his face severely. The two-legged Monk objected, and when he could find a gun he pumped shot into the four-legged monk until he resembled a sieve and ceased to breathe. His mistress is disconsolate.

The Southern Pacific Company, through its engineer and fireman, was astonished and frightened when the monkey, half standing in the middle of the narrow-guage track and grimacing horribly, confronted the locomotive. The face was too much for the company and the engineer shut the throttle and threw on the handbrakes or something.

The startled passengers got off and helped chase the chattering simian away. The conductor delivered himself of an oration that wouldn't have served as an eulogium at the monkey's funeral.

THRONGS SEE RETURNS.

Many Lingered in Front of Star Office Till the Wee Small Hours.

From 6 o'clock last night until long after midnight, an immense crowd thronged the street in front of The Morning Star office and watched the battle of ballots as displayed on The Star screen. Both candidates were cheered when their pictures were flashed on the screen.

At 10 o'clock when the announcement came that Hughes was probably elected, many overjoyed Republicans sought their beds with satisfied faces.

Later when Wilson began his furious drive against the overwhelming odds, the Democratic hosts regained confidence, and stuck until the finish.

The flash of Wilson's picture late in the night was the signal for tumultuous cheering.

Democrats Gain a Congressman.

Philadelphia, Nov. 8. — Late returns show that five congressional districts in Pennsylvania are in doubt. Of the 31 congressional electors the Democrats have gained one. Of the five doubtful district the Republican state committee claim four, in two of which were candidates for re-election.

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